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AND NOW IT'S WAR

By LAURIE SCHWAB and MENO TOUTSIDIS

Stand by for the most spectacular round of the national league season!

Three teams — Marconi, Juventus Adelaide and Hakoah will vie for league leadership.

Footscray J.U.S.T., desperate to move up the ladder, will field long-awaited Yugoslav striker Tihomir Sredanovic who is expected to arrive tomorrow (Thursday)

Fitzroy Alexander and South Melbourne Hellas are likely to draw about 12,000 to the battle of the Greeks at Olympic Park.

Rale Rasic has predicted that 20,000 will turn up at the Olympic Sports Field to watch the leadership struggle between Marconi and Juventus Adelaide.

The round will draw the biggest aggregate crowd of the season. Nothing is surer.

Sredanovic, 24, may be accompanied by Yugoslav midfielder **Andriaja Ristic** if he arrives on schedule tomorrow.

If not, Ristic will fly in next week.

Sredanovic has been in electrifying form with Yugoslav Second Division team Rudar and last year was top scorer of First Division team Vojvodina.

Ristic is from Loznica.

Sredonovic will provide strength in the middle of J.U.S.T.'s attack — strength on which wingers **Joe Palinkas** and **Mendo Ristovski** will capitalise.

J.U.S.T. proved a handful for Marconi last week and the addition of Sredanovic should make it an awesome opponent for Hakoah in their television match at Middle Park on Sunday.

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Chris Kent (right) shoots past Western Suburbs defender Col Curran in Hellas' 2-0 win. Kent will trouble Alexander at Olympic Park on Sunday. Picture by SAM BELFONTE.

Scotland's player of the year, Danny McGrain (left) and Celtic team mate Alfie Conn after they had won the Scottish Cup final. Both will play here.

Series will feature 21 of the best

Twenty-one international players representing England, Scotland, Yugoslavia, Northern Ireland, Eire and Iceland will play in the international soccer tournament in Melbourne, Sydney and Adelaide next month.

They will be in the teams of Glasgow Celtic, Arsenal and Red Star Belgrade which will compete against Australia in a round robin tournament whose total prize - money is $66,000.

The most widely-acclaimed stars we'll see here are Arsenal's **Malcolm Macdonald** who recently played guest games for South Melbourne Hellas; Celtic's goalscoring midfielder **Kenny Dalglish** and Red Star's elegant playmaker **Vladislav Bogicevic**.

The other internationals are:

England: Jim Rimmer, Alan Hudson (Arsenal).

Scotland: Alfie Con, Bobby Lennox, Danny McGrain, Pat Stanton, Joe Craig (Celtic).

Yugoslavia: Slavojub Muslin, Vladimir Petrovic, Dusan Nikolic, Zoron Jelikic, Zoran Filipovic, Dusan Savic (Red Star).

Northern Ireland: Pat Rice, Sammy Nelson (Arsenal).

Eire: Liam Brady, David O'Leary (Arsenal).

Iceland: Johannes Edvaldsson (Celtic).

Other players in the squads are:

Celtic: Peter Latchford, Roddy McDonald, Paul Wilson, Roy Aitken, Ronnie Glavin, Johnny Doyle, Tommy Burns, Roy Baines and Jim Casey.

Arsenal: Trevor Ross, Frank Stapleton, Graham Rix, George Armstrong, David Price, Willie Young, Peter Simpson, John Matthews, Martin New.

Red Star: Bosko Kajganic, Milan Babic, Milan Sestic, Mihalj Kerl, Sead Susic, Mile Novkovic, Bosko Lukic, Nikola Jovanovic, Aleksander Stojanovic, Branko Radovic, Zdravko Borovnica.

English referee **Jack Taylor** who handled the 1974 World Cup final between West Germany and Holland in Munich will referee four matches in the tournament, including the final in Melbourne.

Dates and venues of the tournament matches are:

IN MELBOURNE (Olympic Park): July 21, Celtic v Red Star; July 28, Red Star v Australia; July 31, final between two leading teams.

IN SYDNEY (SHOWGROUNDS): July 20, Arsenal v Australia; July 24, Arsenal v Celtic; July 26, Celtic v Australia.

IN ADELAIDE: (Hindmarsh Stadium): July 26, Red Star v Arsenal.

Where do you get your tickets? See page 14

Wollongong goes broke

Wollongong City is the second NSW State League club to turn amateur.

Granville stopped paying its players a few weeks ago.

Wollongong announced last week it was broke and like Granville, could no longer pay its players.

At its last home game, Wollongong collcted only $234 after paying the referee.

"There is complete apathy in the Wollongong area towards soccer," club secretary **David Childs** said.

"The main reason I think is because we are not playing in the national league.

For years people down here have been used to watching the best and I'm afraid they are not getting the best in State League soccer.

"The only real star in the State League competition is **Atti Abonyi.**

"We got more than 2000 along to that game when he played for Croatia. I think that proves my point".

Wollongong, formerly known as Safeway United and South Coast United, had stars of its own in te past but lack of money now prevents the club from buying men like **Jim Kelly, Adrian Alston, Peter Wilson** and **Max Tolson** who were once big names on the coast.

— TOM ANDERSON.

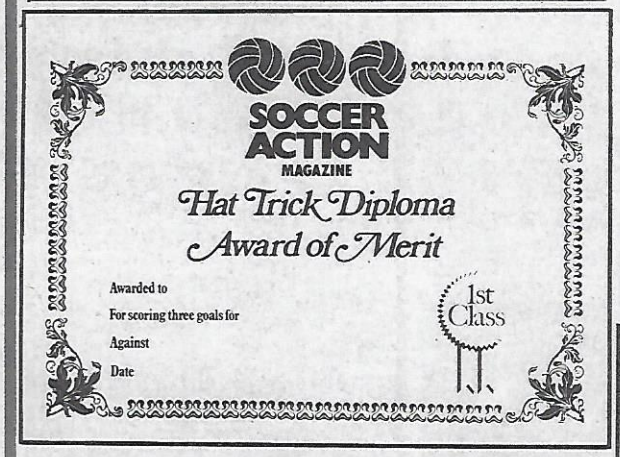
Out - no, not yet

The Victorian Provisional League disciplinary committee last week expelled West Melbourne from the league only to find out that it didn't have the power.

Apparently only the main Federation Tribunal can expel a club, so the matter has been handed on with the recommendation that West Melbourne be kicked out because of repeated misconduct by players.

West Melbourne is almost certain to appeal.

A reward for goals



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The Rothman's $250 Goalkeeper of the Year award goes to the goalkeeper who appears most often in the State team ofthe week.

This week's goalkeeeper is Lou Denys of Green Gully.

Progressive votes:

3. Clarke (Slavia)
2. Denys (Green Gully)
1. Johnson (Sunshine), Kestner (G.C.), Kennedy (Lions), Laumets (Preston), Van der Poel (Altona).

STANDINGS

	HOME					AWAY					
	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	G	P
Marconi	4	2	1	9	6	4	2	0	18	7	27:13	20
Hakoah-Easts	4	1	2	17	11	3	3	0	14	7	31:18	18
Adel Juventus	4	1	1	11	3	4	1	2	14	9	25:12	18
West Suburbs	2	2	2	12	7	4	2	1	10	6	19:9	16
W. Adel. Hellas	1	4	2	14	14	3	2	1	11	5	25:19	14
Sth Melb Hellas	3	2	2	8	5	2	2	1	6	6	14:11	14
St. George	2	4	1	12	9	1	3	1	9	10	21:19	13
Fitz Alexander	3	1	2	12	14	1	4	2	7	9	19:23	13
Syd Olympic	2	1	2	9	9	2	2	3	5	7	14:16	11
Brisbane City	3	2	2	8	5	1	1	4	7	14	15:19	11
Footscray JUST	3	2	1	8	4	0	2	4	6	13	14:17	10
Canberra	1	1	3	5	9	1	2	4	6	12	11:21	7
Mooroolbark	1	4	2	12	14	0	0	6	3	19	15:33	6
Brisbane Lions	1	1	3	3	9	0	2	5	3	16	6:25	5

For this week's games see back page.

National League team of week

MEIER (Olympic)

RATHMELL (Brisb C) — G. ONTONG (M'bark) — KALAFATIDIS (SM-Hellas) — PERRY (Wests)

GAFFNEY (Brisb C) — SOUNESS (WA-Hellas) — ECHEVERRIA (Brisb C)

FRENCH (SM-Hellas) — SMITH (Hakoah) — Kent (SM-Hellas)

RIVERSDALE TRAVEL

Riversdale Travel Award ... a trip for two to Surfer's Paradise for the top player in the State league.

Slavia v George Cross
3 Short (S)
2 Symington (S)
1 Pye (S)
Altona v Ringwood
3 Adams (R)
2 Jones (R)
1 Pedley (A)
Frankston v Sunshine
3 Savage (F)
2 Spears (F)
1 Nelson (S)
Polonia v Hakoah
3 Baker (H)
2 Koter (P)
1 De Placido (H)
Juventus v PRESTON
⅜ Watkins (Juv)
2 Smith (Juv)
1 Bannon (Juv)
Green Gully v Lions
3 Donaldson (G.G.A.)
2 Wallace (Lona)
1 Denys (GCA)
Progressive:
16 Bannon (Juventus)
13 Pocock (Sunshine)
11 Maitland (G.C.)
9 Scott (Ringwood).
Courage $1000 Top Goalscorer Award:
8 Scott (Ringwood)
7 Pocock (Sunshine), Reed (G.C.).
5 K. Murphy (Lions), Watkins (Juventus).

Abonyi out on his own

ARNCLIFFE SCOTS 1 CROATIA 2 at Hurstville Oval Saturday. Crowd — 1250.

That man Abonyi struck again and Croatia won another game!

Abonyi is in a class of his own in the State League and just has too much skill for the rest of them.

He grabbed two goals in this match and probably without him Croatia would have been struggling.

Scorers — Croatia — Abonyi 2. Arncliffe — Crone (pen).

APIA 1 SUTHERLAND 0 at Lambert Park Sunday Crowd 1023.

Terry Butler played his first game for Apia in over nine months and scored the only goal of the game in his comeback.

The diminutive little striker has been playing in Hong Kong since the end of last season and has just recently returned to Sydney.

Butler headed the only goal of the game midway through the first half when he nipped in and put away a **Roy McCormack** cross at the far post.

WOLLONGONG 3 BANKSTOWN 0 at Berkeley Sportsground Sunday Crowd - 350.

The players at Wollongong seemed to have put their money worries (see page one) behind them and put on a creditable performance.

Scorers, Wollongong - Beggs 2, Morlando.

YUGAL 1 GRANTVILLE 0 at the Sydney Athletic Field Sunday Crowd 200.

Yugal got away to their first win of the season against the unhappy young Granville team.

The winning goal was scored by 1974 World Cup squad member **Ivo Rudic** with a penalty kick midway through the first half.

Granville coach **Mal O'Neill** summed up the situation to perfection after the game when he declared - "Until our players get the experience needed, we will continue to struggle."

AUBURN 2 MANLY 1 at Mona Park, Sunday Crowd 411.

Former Hakoah striker Andy Trace gave Auburn their hard earned win in this tough clash.

Tracey broke through the seasider's defence 18 minutes from the end to grab the winner and give Auburn third place in the competition.

Auburn completely dominated the first half and it came as no surprise when **Pat Deller** opened the scoring for them in the 13th minute.

Scorers - Auburn - Deller, Tracey. Manly - Martinez.

AVALA 3 CANTERBURY 0 at Bankstown Soccer Centre Sunday Crowd - 702.

At long last Avala have hit the kind of form expected of them.

Former Wests and Hakoah striker Irish international Tom Morrow was the big man in the Avala team.

Scorers - Avala - Morrow 2, Griffith.

Wests go to Dural

Western Suburbs will play all their home matches in the national league at Englefield Stadium, Dural, from now on.

This follows the departure of Gladesville-Hornsby from the stadium.

Wests have until now been using the Sydney Sports Ground where attendances have been disappointing.

Nicolaides to J.U.S.T.

Footscray J.U.S.T. has bought forward John Nicolaides from Fitzroy Alexander for about $2500.

Alexander got Nicolaides from Metropolitan Leagues club Princes Park Hercules three years ago.

He has played some brilliant games for Alexander but has been unable to win a regular spot in the senior team since last year.

J.U.S.T. coach **Cedo Cirkovic** is confident he can help the 20-year-old forward realise his potential.

No-one has had more success with young players than Cirkovic, who groomed **Mendo Ristoviski, Zoran Ilioski, Joe Picioane** and **Joe Palinkas.**

Mooroolbark offered its brilliant midfielder-forward Joe Tront to J.U.S.T. for a reported $8000 fee but J.U.S.T. decided it was too much to pay.

Meanwhile Tront has been joined on Mooroolbark's transfer list by many other players. See page 3.

John Nicolaides

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All players will receive votes out of 10 every week and the winner will be the player with the highest AVERAGE, providing he has played at least 20 games.

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This week's votes

BRISBANE CITY 1 (Gaffney) JUVENTUS ADELAIDE 0 at Perry Park, crowd 6429.
Ratings by Bruce Waddell:
Brisbane city 8 Osvaldo Borzi 7, Ian Rathmell 8, Brian Kibbey 6, Peter Tokesi 7, Jim Hermiston 8, Roberto Echeverria 8, Frank Pimblett 8, Larry Gaffney 8, Craig Wallace 6 (Kevin Caldwell), John Coyne 6, Willie Conner 7.
JUVENTUS: Roger Romanowicz 8, Sergio Melta 6 (Phil Russo), Fred Yung 6, Zoran Matic 6, (sent off 63rd minute), Frank Lister 7, Agenor Muniz 7, Gary Marocchi 6, John Perin 6, Brian Northcote 6 (David Leane), Dixie Deans 6, John Nyskohus 6.
MOOROOLBARK 3 (McGregor, Tront, Lowrey) CANBERRA 2 (Bourke, Henderson) at Esther Park, Mooroolbark, crowd: about 550.
Player ratings by Joe Major:
MOOROOLBARK: Wilding 7; Irwin 8 (inj., sub. McConville 70th), G Ontong 9, Boczuk 7, Shuttleworth 7, (inj. sub. Ellis 65th); P. Ontong 7, Thom 6, Rigby 7, Tront 7, McGregor 8, Lowrey 7.
CANBERRA: Tilsed 8, Moulis 7, Brown 7, Stark 7, J. Stoddart 6, Henderson 7, Cant 6, Davies 9, Grujicic 8, Bourke 8, O'Connor 7.
STH MELB HELLAS 2 (Gibson, Rogers) WESTERN SUBURBS 0 at Middle Park, crowd about 5000.
Ratings by Laurie Schwab:
HELLAS: Reilly 7, Pye 7 (injured, sub Dosen 6, 48th), Xanthopoulos 7, Kalafatidis 9, Daperis 7, Rogers 8, Gibson 7, Mitten 7, (inj. sub Alexiou 87th), Ollerton 8, French 8, Kent 9.
WESTS: T. Eaton 6, Curran 6, Turnbull 6, Wilson 8, Perry 8, Harding 7, Stone 7, Ainslie 6, C.Eaton 6, Moores 5, Norris 6.
MARCONI 1 (Milne own goal) FOOTSCRAY J.U.S.T. 0 at Marconi Oval, crowd 5200.
Ratings by Jimmy Jones:
MARCONI: Maher 8, Jones 8, Prskalo 8, Hucker 7, Degney 6, Richards 8, Byrne 8, Vieri 6, Sharne 6, Campbell 6, (inj. sub Mariani 6, 40th)
J.U.S.T.: Boland 8, Parrott 8, Kondarios 8, Kriaris 6, Milne 7, Picioane 6, Micic 7, Ilioski 6, Rujevic 6, Palinkas 6, Ristovski 7.
WEST ADELAIDE HELLAS 5 (Kosmina, Reynolds, McGregor, McCulloch, Zervas), BRISBANE LIONS 1 (Morris). At Hindmarsh Stadium, crowd 5,115.
Players ratings by Meno Toutsidis.
HELLAS: Crook, 7, Amos 7, Reynods 7, Souness 9, Vagianos 7, Boyle 7 (Pantelis), Kosmina 6, Jones 6, McCulloch 7, De Lyster 6, McGregor 6 (Zervas 6).
LIONS: Dando 6, Wilson 6, Potter 6, Bennett 6, Park 6 (Niven 6), Speariit 7, Fagan 7, Laslo 7, Neale 6, Morris 8, Henderson 8.
HAKOAH 2 (Barnes, Smith) OLYMPIC 0 at Wentworth Park, crowd 6115.
Ratings by Bill bailey.
HAKOAH: Pezzano 7, Mullen 8, Thomson 9, O'Connor 7, Mowbray 7, Stevenson 7, Barnes 8, Robertson 8, Kershaw 8, Smith 8, Silva 8.
SYDNEY OLYMPIC: Meier 9, Cullerton 6, G. Allan 6, McIntosh 8, Luckett 5 (sub Palmer), Gibson 6, Senkalski 6, Cross 6, Pirie (sub Thamnides 6) D. Allan 6, Botham 6.
ST. GEORGE 2 (Coton, Jankovic) ALEXANDER 2 (Buljevic, Campbell) at Hurstville Oval. Crowd 2357.
Ratings by Tom Anderson.
ST. GEORGE: McQuire 7, Harris 7, Coton 8, Grosse 7 (sub Morgan), J. O'Shea 7, R. O'Shea 6, Gnavi 7, Aitken 6, O'Connor 6, George 6, Jankovics 6.
ALEXANDER: Blasby 6, McMillan 7, O'Reilly 7, Provan 6, Rakovalis 6, (sub V. Bannon), Taylor 8, Campbell 8, Bannon 8, Cole 6, Buljevic 7, Bouzikas 6.

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LEADERS

Leading averages:
7.8 Rooney (Marc), Richards (Marc), Wilson (Wests).
7.6 Hermiston (Bris C).
7.5 Barnes (Hak), Reynolds (W.A. Hellas).
7.4 Gibson (Olympic).
7.3 Buljevic (Alex), Mowbray (Hak), Maher (Marc), Pye (SM-Hellas), Harding (Wests), Stone (Wests).
7.2 Meier (Olymp).
7.1 Grujicic (Can), Smith (Hak), Kondarios (JUST), Nyskohus (Juv), Marocchi (Juv), McQuire (St. G.), Harris (St. G.), Rogers (SM-Hellas), Honeyman (W. Ad Hellas), McGregor (W. Ad. Hellas).
Leading scorers:
9. Smith (Hak).
8. Kosmina (Ad. Hellas).
7. Norris (Wests), Tront (M'bark), Nyskohus (Juv.), Barnes (Hak).
6. Campbell (Marc.), Sharne (Marc).
5. R. O'Shea (St. G.), Buljevic (Alex), Pirie (Olymp).
4. McGregor (Ad. Hellas), Gibson (SM-Hellas), Jankovic (St. G.), O'Connor (St. G.), Botham (Olymp), Deans (Juv), Muniz (Juv). Kondarios (JUST), Lutton (Hak), Morris (Lions).

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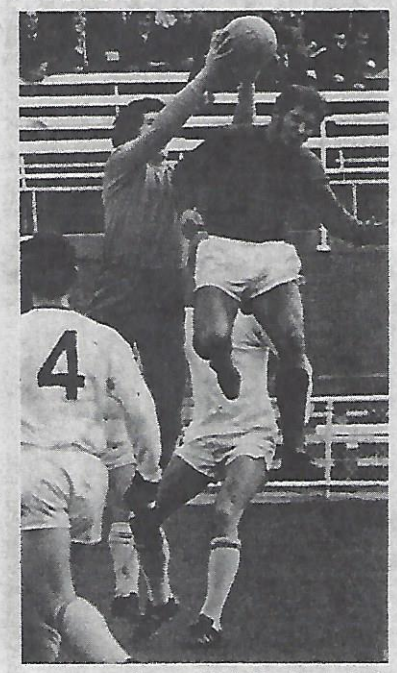

Hellas goalkeeper Dick Stephens plucks the ball off Zoraja's head.

Clarey for sale in Barkers' reshuffle

Mike Clarey, all-time fourth-highest goalscorer of the Victorian State League, is among the players transfer-listed in a massive shake-up at Mooroolbark.

Clarey is one of five players to be sold to make room for at least three arriving from England.

Clarey, top scorer in the State League in 1970 with 16 goals, has scored a total of 81.

Jim Armstrong leads the State league scorers with 144 goals, followed by Slobodan Zoreja (92) and Billy Vojtek (about 85).

Most of Clarey's were scored while he was with Hakoah, from where he transferred to Mooroolbark.

Clarey played one game for the Victorian State team — against Kosice of Czechoslovakia in 1971.

Victoria lost 1-5 and it was Clarey who scored the home team's only goal.

Another former State player on Mooroolbark's transfer list is centre back Peter Vaughan, 24, who played against South Australia (1976), Australia B (1975) and Benfica (1975).

Also for sale are:

- **Striker Gordon McGregor,** 22 from St. Johnstone in Scotland, who came to Australia to join St. George this year and was passed on to Mooroolbark because Saints were overstaffed;
- Full back **Derek Bailey,** 24, a long-serving Mooroolbark player;
- Utility player **Mal Hayward,** 22, who was on the books of Shrewsbury and played for Wellington in the English Southern League.

The replacements arriving from England are:

- **Barrie Fairbrother,** 26, 5ft. 8ins., 11st 7lb, played 171 games and scored 41 goals for Orient and played about 30 games for Millwall. Midfielder and former under 23 international.
- **Nick Lowe,** 24, 5ft. 10ins, 12st 10lb, centre back, has had about 90 games for Oxford United.
- **Paul O'Riley,** 26, 5ft. 9ins, 11st. 11lbs, played with **Kevin Keegan** at Scunthorpe where he had 11 games on loan and scored four goals. Also had 19 games and two goals for Hull City, 11 games and 2 goals for Barnsley and about 40 games for Southport.

Meanwhile, Mooroolbark's left back **Ian Williamson,** out for nine months with a broken leg, has recovered and may start playing again within two weeks.

Alan Pongho has been out with a broken nose but has resumed training.

Mike Clary (left) leads Bob Provan of Alexander in a race for the ball.

Derek Bailey (left) in a tussle with Mirko Rujevic of J.U.S.T.

Player-coach assignment for Zoraja

Victoria's second-highest goalscorer since Federation, Slobodan Zoraja is starting a new career as player-coach of Footscray J.U.S.T.'s Second Division team.

He replaces **Frank Simunovic** who is now coach of the Second Division reserves.

J.U.S.T.'s assistant secretary **Lou Tonovski,** announcing Zoraja's appointment, said: "Our Second Division team may be on the bottom of the ladder, but that doesn't mean the club is neglecting the team.

"The appointment of Zoraja as playing-coach shows that we are determined to improve."

Slobodan Zoraja

Zoraja joined J.U.S.T. from OFK Belgrade together with **Branko Buljevic** and **Milan Mihailovic** in 1968.

He was top scorer in the State League in 1971 when he netted 17 goals.

His league totals in other years have been: six in 1968, 16 in 1969, 15 in 1970, 12 in 1972, 13 in 1973, seven in 1974 and seven in 1975.

He has scored a total of 92 State League goals, making him second only to **Jim Armstrong** who has 144 goals.

Zoraja, Simunovic and junior coach **Repe Dugina** will all be under the jurisdiction of J.U.S.T.'s chief coach, **Cedo Cirkovic.**

J.U.S.T. has a tradition of producing great coaches. Perhaps Zoraja will be another Cirkovic or Rasic.

Mooroolbark's former State centre back Peter Vaughan.

City gets Marley

Former New Zealand international Alan Marley (pictured) who played against Australia in the 1973 World Cup qualifying series, has been released by his Queensland club St. George Souths for guest games with Brisbane City in the National League.

Marley has scored seven goals for Souths in the Queensland First Division. He scored four in South's 7-2 Ampol Cup victory over Bardon Latrrobe.

Threats, so ref. quits

Referee Malcolm Loy of Berkeley, NSW, quit last week after receiving threats of violence.

Other South Coast referees have threatened to quit unless spectators are brought under control.

They have protested about abuse and in some cases manhandling by spectators.

Some are talking about strike action.

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'They wanted the win more than we did'

By JOE MAJOR

Midfielder, John Davies, on loan from South Sydney Croatia, had a brilliant debut for Canberra, but Mooroolbark stormed to its first win of the season.

Canberra is paying Croatia about $1500 for the loan of Davies but the boost he gave his new team was offset by the absence of striker **Brian Stoddart** whose knee injury will keep him out indefinitely.

Stoddart is expected to go to Sydney this week for treatment by a specialist.

It was an even match until Mooroolbark went to a 2-1 lead.

At that stage it became evident that Canberra had insufficient composure and leadership up front.

Ivan Grujicic and **Alan Bourke** played well but could not take their chances.

Canberra coach Johnny Warren said afterwards: "Few teams will come away from Esther Park with a point. That ground really suits Mooroolbark. They should have played all their matches there."

Mooroolbark's star was **Geoff Ontong.**

A fringe player on the transfer list last year and a moderately successful left back earlier this year, Ontong has suddenly emerged as an excellent sweeper.

Another star was striker **Gordon McGregor** who, together with **Joe Tront,** is on the transfer list.

Triumphant coach, **Brian Edgley,** who took over Mooroolbark only a few weeks ago, said: "Look out now for a new Mooroolbark."

The game started with Grujicic, missing by inches with a free kick from 20 metres.

Canberra had a lucky escape when a mis-kick from its midfielder **Tony Henderson** bounced back into play from the cross bar.

The heavy ground made ball control difficult and many passes went astray or got stuck in the goal-mouth mud.

Tront sent a great through pass to **Pat Lowrey,** but Canberra keeper **Ron Tilsed** got to the ball first.

Tilsed was in action again, turned a hard shot from **Paul Ontong** for a corner.

The Barkers attacked through **Max Irwin** but they had no-one capable of finishing off his dangerous raids.

Warren has unearthed a clever defender in 17-year-old **Danny Moulis.** His clearances were accurate and he tackled with amazing authority.

Grujicic should have scored for Canberra with an open goal at his mercy, but hit the goalkeeper with the ball.

Then in a counter-attack, Mooroolbark scored a great goal.

Brian Thom beat a couple of defenders on the left flank and crossed perfect for

M'Bark 3 Canberra 2

Gordon McGregor to head home in the 40th minute.

Canberra showed more urgency after the interval, and it came as no surprise when **Alan Bourke** equalised after 50 minutes.

Barker's keeper, **Paul Wilding,** could not hold a 20-metre thunderbolt from City skipper, **Tony Henderson,** and Bourke, formerly of Sutherland, made no mistake from close range.

Max Irwin injured himself clearing the ball off the line when Wilding was beaten by **Roy Starke.** He had to be replaced by **Eugene McConville.**

Wilding then made a point-blank save from **Dave O'Connor,** who should have put Canberra ahead.

At the other end Joe Tront missed from a similar situation.

But he made amends in the 77th minute with a shot from 30 metres that beat Canberra keeper, **Ron Tilsed,** to give Mooroolbark a 2-1 lead.

Canberra, which had played well so far, particularly in midfield, seemed to collapse after this set-back.

The Mooroolbark forwards suddenly found their shooting form, and bombarded the Canberra goal.

They were rewarded with a third goal by **Pat Lowrey** whose pile-driver clinched the game.

Canberra reduced the leeway when Grujicic side-footed a free kick to Henderson who rammed it into the net in the 62nd minute.

Edgley summed up: "A great first half, then we fell away for a while but put it together in the end."

Warren, said: "The same old story — we can't take advantage of our chances.

"Full marks to Mooroolbark. They wanted to win more than we did."

SPONSOR DROPPED...PEZZANO IN

By BILL BAILEY

Hakoah have cancelled their sponsorship with the VIP Insurance company.

This was done late last week and in this game the Hakoah team played without the VIP insignia on their jerseys.

A Hakoah spokesman said that the reason for the cancellation of the sponsorship was that VIP Insurance had not fulfilled their contract to the Hakoah club.

The spokesman also said that before the club entered into another sponsorship deal they would give the matter much thought and look into it thoroughly.

However this did not seem to worry the performance of the Hakoah team in the least for they had an easy win against the very disappointing Olympic side.

Hakoah 2 Olympic 0

This was the first appearance of schoolboy goalkeeper **Tony Pezzano** in the Hakoah team and he had an easy debut.

Pezzano 16, was called into the Hakoah team when Hakoah's reserve goalkeeper **Alan Farley** decided late last week that he did not want to play any more for the time being.

Their first choice goalkeeper **Todd Clarke** is injured and on the sideline with a damaged knee.

After the game Hakoah coach **Gerry Chaldi** said that he was happy with Pezzano's performance although the youngster was never tested.

Olympic had the dreadful misfortune to lose their star striker **Billy Pirie** after only 14 minutes of play.

Pirie has a pulled hamstring muscle and it will be doubtful if he will be able to play again in Australia before he returns to Scotland for pre-season training with Dundee FC.

After Pirie limped off the field all the enthusiasm seemed to depart from the Olympic team and it was the beginning of the end for them.

Socceroo midfielder **Murray Barnes** opened the scoring for Hakoah when he headed home a **Hilton Silva** cross.

Their other goal came in the 67th minute when Terry Smith ran onto a through ball from **Kevin Mullen** to score easily.

Branko Buljenic — scored for Alexander.

RASIC'S TEAM DRAWS AWAY

By JIMMY JONES

Marconi is now red hot favorites to win the 1977 National Soccer League. It is the most organised and thoroughly professional team in the competition and has an abundance of talent.

Their coach **Rale Rasic** is probably tops in his field in Australia and he leaves no stone unturned to prepare his team for every situation that may arise.

The biggest problem with the J.U.S.T.-Marconi game was that both teams played a similar type of game and for most of the time it was stalemate.

Both are coached by Yugoslav born coaches, which speaks for itself.

The only goal of the game was in the 17th minute when Footscray defender **Jim Milne** put one into his own net.

Footscray goalkeeper **Denis Boland** came out to collect a backpass from Milne who unfortunately for his team lobbed the ball over the goalkeeper's head for a goal.

Marconi should have sealed the game up beyond any doubt in the 28th minute when **Ray Richards** set up a good scoring chance.

However, **Ernie Campbell** and **Roberto Vieri** both went for the ball and in the mixup that followed the chance was missed.

Later in the game Campbell had to leave the field because of an injury.

Marconi 1, JUST 0.

After the game **Rale Rasic** said that he was disappointed with the chances that his team had missed.

"Against Alexander last week we put them all away but today we squandered them," Rasic said.

"However the main thing is that the chances were created.

"It's when a team does not create scoring chances you have to worry.

"I expected this type of game against J.U.S.T. as they play a similar type of game to ourselves.

"However I'm very happy with the two points and we have at last drawn clear at the top of the competition."

Cedo Cirkovic said: "We had bad luck and played well enough to win.

"Ristovski, Palinkas and **Rujevic** all had great chances to score.

"After the game, one of our supporters, **Rade Sredovic,** gave our boys a bonus for their fine play."

Scores come from a game of errors

By TOM ANDERSON

This was a game that will be remembered for its defensive mistakes!

For all four goals came from blunders in defences that looked anything but happy under pressure.

Probably the reason for Alexander's nerves was the after-effect of their hiding at the hands of Marconi the week previous.

And in the first 45 minutes of this clash they looked very suspect under pressure and goalkeeper **Peter Blasby** seemed to be a very nervous young man.

However it must be said that in the second half they did improve as the game went on and Alexander did well to come away from Hurstville Oval with a point.

In fact they could have snatched both points in the dying stages of the game when striker **Jim Campbell** shot a screamer that hit Saints goalkeeper **Dave McQuire** and rebounded back into play.

This was a big let off for Saints as McQuire did not know were the ball was going and it was a complete reaction save.

Saints on the other hand seemed too anxious to do well on their return to their former home ground of Hurstville Oval.

They put it all together well in the first half, but when the goals did not come, they got anxious and frustrated and let Alexander dictate the tactics.

Also the Saints used too much of the long high ball which played into the hands of the packed Alexander defence.

But to be fair to both teams, the playing surface was very bumpy and uneven and did not lend itself to good football.

An interesting feature of this game was that Australia's first and second choice for the left back position in the national team did not play.

Harry Williams was on the subs bench for Saints and **Jim Tansey** was on the injured list for Alexander.

After the game Saints coach **Manfred Schaefer** said that he had left Williams out of his team for tactical reasons but that he would bring back Williams for tonight's (Wednesday) clash with Sydney Olympic at the Sydney Sports Ground.

Saints opened the scoring in the 53rd minute when their giant defender **Paul Coton** came up into the attack and headed home a **Fred Aitken** corner kick.

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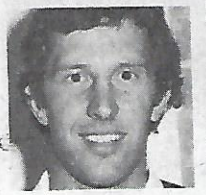

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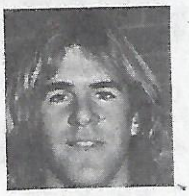

MARK JANKOVICS

Coton was completely unmarked and left on his own by the Alexander defence.

Alexander equalised in the 56th minute when the St. George defence stood aside and watched as **Branko Buljevic** slotted one home following a free kick.

A minute later the Victorians grabbed the lead when once again the Saints defence stood aside and allowed **Jim Campbell** the freedom of the park to score.

This was not the end of the "gifts" and Saints got their equaliser in the 77th minute when Alexander goalkeeper **Peter Blasby** dropped the ball at the feet of **Mark Jankovics** who easily scored.

After the game Alexander's coach **John Margaritis** said that he was happy with the point but not happy with the goals his team gave away.

Saints boss **Manfred Schaefer** said that under the circumstances one point was better than none!

Victoria leads S. Aust.

Victoria thrashed Campbelltown-Budapest 3-0 in a torrid affair to take over the lead in the South Australian first division.

Croatia slipped from top to fourth place after going down 2-1 to Beograd in a great match at Hanson Reserve.

Beograd are now second, a point behind Victoria, while Polonia are on the same points tally in third position.

Harry Bell and **Jimmy Mitchell** who earlier in the season helped Victoria to become the leaders returned to their best goal scoring form after a recent slump.

Bell scored twice and Mitchell got the third.

Croatia trailed early to Beograd through **John Kamleitner** but earned an equaliser just before half time with a great **Tony Jordan** goal in their crucial clash.

Eddie Toner scored the winner for Beograd three minutes into the second half.

Lion and Polonia played an exciting 1-1 draw at Hindmarsh Stadium with **Roger Kozuch** (Lion) and **Vic Bozanic** (Polonia) scoring.

Elizabeth beat Cumberland 2-1 at Bailey Reserve with **Chris Manolev** getting both Elizabeth's goals while **Gary Pankhurst** netted for Cumberland.

Azzurri and Para Hills fought a 1-1 draw at The Paddocks.

Harry MacDonald headed Para into the lead in the first half while **Joe Serafini** equalised in the second half after coming on as a substitute.

Next week's games are — Polonia v. Elizabeth (Polonia Reserve), Beograd v. Lion (Woodville West), Campbelltown-Budapest v. Croatia (Newton Sports Field), Azzurri v. Victoria (Adey Reserve), Para Hills v. Cumberland (The Paddocks). — **Meno Toutsidis.**

SOUNESS STARS

By Meno Toutsidis

West Adelaide, ignited by the brilliance of Scottish international Graeme Souness, overpowered Brisbane Lions 5-1 in their most impressive performance of the season at Hindmarsh Stadium.

Despite the wide margin in the unflattering score line, Lions played with a great deal of verve and determination and gave Hellas some anxious moments.

Hellas charged into a two goal lead with a powerful ground shot from **John Kosmina** after four minutes and a splendid goal from **Barry Reynolds** after turning a defender inside out just inside the penalty area.

With Scottish international **Willie Henderson** taking on all defenders on his flank and **Geoff Morris** and **Eddie Spearitt** mixing their skills with aggression; Hellas were not allowed to relax during the first half.

Morris earned a yellow card for his over enthusiasm and almost grabbed a goal just before half time but West keeper **Martyn Crook** did well to turn his free kick over the bar.

West made certain of both points when **Ian McGregor** scored three minutes after half time with a fine shot after Kosmina flicked the ball from a corner kick.

Gordon McCulloch, who has come in for a great deal of criticism in recent weeks, scored the fourth with a close range header after a **David Jones'** cross in the 69th minute.

After a slow start to the season McCulloch has finally

WA Hellas 5 Lions 1

put his game together and followed up his effort in the Juventus match with another good performance.

Although there were flaws in his game he is showing the form that brought him under **Jimmy Shoulder's** notice.

Geoff Morris scored his fourth goal of the season when he converted a 32nd penalty kick after Reynolds handled the ball.

But West quickly regained their four goal advantage when **Alex Zervas,** who had come on as a substitute, back heeled the ball into the net after missing with his first attempt.

West could have scored again in the last few minutes but **Dendo** brilliantly saved **McCulloch's** header.

While Lion's coach Les Schienflug disappointed with the result, Hellas coach Billy Birch could not have been overjoyed with the form of McGregor and Kosmina.

Although they scored both players were well below their best and will need to lift considerably for the crucial clash against Western Suburbs on Sunday.

Meanwhile Schienflug will be hoping that Lions can bridge the gap at the foot of the table with a win over Canberra City in Canberra.

City beat Lions 1-0 in the first round but the Queenslanders look good enough to at least earn a point.

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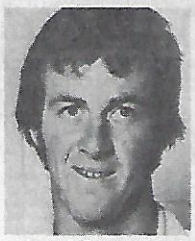


Larry Gaffney — scored the winner.

By BRUCE WADDELL

Brisbane City produced their finest National Soccer League performance of the season with an outstanding 1-0 win over the leaders Adelaide City at Perry Park in Brisbane.

Brisbane City appear to reserve their best efforts for matches against the powers of the competition and a real team effort backed up that theory.

The winning goal was scored after only seven minutes when Larry Gaffney rammed the ball home from point blank range past **Roger Romanowicz,** following some perfect buildup by **Roberto Echeverria** and **Craig Wallace.**

Brisbane C. 1 Juventus 0.

Echeverria feigned to cross a free kick into the middle but sliced it out to the right to Wallace, who was lurking near the backline.

Wallace struck it neatly across the face of the goal, leaving **Zoran Matic** and **Frank Lister** helpless, and Gaffney did the rest.

Romanowicz kept Adelaide City in the match when he prevented at least three first half goals.

Two were successive shots from Echeverria and the third from dashing Winger Willie Conner.

Osvaldo Borzi also produced his usual confident work in the Brisbane City goal, once coming out of the goalmouth to smother a shot from **John Nyskohus,** after the young Socceroo had made a break from the halfway line.

Borzi was also called on to deal with a powerful long range shot from **Garry Marocchi.**

Adelaide faced an almost impossible task when Matic was sent off by referee **Des Miles** for dissent in the 63rd minute.

It was Matic's first and only warning and followed an unsuccessful appeal for a handball by **Frank Pimblett** as Brisbane City were attacking strongly.

Brian Northcote, who was replaced in the second half by **David Leane,** received a yellow card for a crude tackle on Gaffney and Echeverria also was cautioned with only three minutes left.

City won the match by taking control of the midfield through Pimblett, Gaffney and Cheverria.

Skipper **Ian Rathmell** produced his best match of the season and **Jim Hermiston** and **Peter Tokesi** at the back bottled up the Adelaide City duo of **Dixie Deans** and Nyskohus.

Romanowicz had a great match, backing up his first half effort by safely saving a scoring second half shot from Pimblett and Adelaide City's other top men were skipper **Lister** and Socceroo **Angeno Muniz,** who produced his usual skills but received too little support from Marocchi and **Johnny Perin.**

"GET KENT" — COACH'S CRY

By LAURIE SCHWAB

Ian Gibson (right) wins a heading duel against Graham Norris.

"Stop Chris Kent" — that will be coach John Margaritis' instruction to the Alexander players before their big clash with South Melbourne Hellas at the weekend.

SM-Hellas 2 Wests 0.

Kent, bought from Ringwood-Wilhelmina only a few weeks ago for about $4000, provided the motivation Hellas needed to beat former national league leaders Western Suburbs 2-0 last Sunday.

The former Sunderland reserves player manned the left wing and Irish recruit **Noel Mitten** was on the right wing, giving Hellas an attacking 4-2-4 formation which brought the best out of strikers **Peter Ollerton** and **Graham French.**

French and Ollerton did everything but score.

The inclusion of Kent and Mitten was made necessary by injuries to midfielder **John Gardiner** and left back **Margaritis Hagegmanouil.**

John Daperis, usually a midfielder, took the left back position and played well there.

Western Suburbs were at a disadvantage because the players had arrived by light aircraft from Sydney just a few hours before the match.

Strikers **Clive Eaton, Ian Moores** and **Graham Norris** did not do enough work to make any impression on the Hellas defence, led by young **Chris Kalafatidis** who cleaned up anyone who got near him.

The Wests defence obviously missed **Bobby Noble,** out because of suspension.

With **Col Curran** beaten on the right and **Warren Turnbull** suspect in Hellas breaks, most of the defensive work fell on the shoulders of **Peter Wilson** and **Steve Perry** who both played extremely well.

In midfield, Wests had three men — **Peter Stone, Dave Harding** and **Alan Ainslie** — against Hellas' two — **Billy Rogers** and **Ian Gibson.**

Stone and Harding played quite well but Rogers outshone them both.

He worked hard in defence and brought the ball forward quickly.

Ian Gibson did a lot of running without really getting anywhere but he is a master opportunist and scored a good goal when it appeared that Hellas would have nothing to show for its general superiority.

The goal came in the 58th minute.

Anton Dosen, who had just replaced injured right back **Mike Pye,** sent a Wests clearance back into attack with a first-time overhead kick which found Gibson in line with Wests' square defence.

Gibson sprinted clear and took his goal well.

The second goal came three minutes before the end.

Ollerton sent a perfect, floating cross into the penalty area where Rogers rose high to head it into the net.

This match showed that Hellas is definitely suited to a 4-2-4 formation, because of its big strikers Ollerton and French.

Kent is on the left to stay.

Mitten did enough in his first full game to keep the right wing berth but he'll be challenged when **Duncan Cummings** comes back after recovering from his knee operation.

Coach **Manny Poulakakis** must decide whether he wants to use two wingers or bring back a third midfielder.

John Gardiner was the man left out last Sunday, because of an injury.

Obviously he has the talent to come back into the team but it may be preferable to make him one of two midfielders rather than add him to the present two.

Highlights of the match included:

14th min: French heads a Mitten cross down to the feet of Gibson who puts the ball into the net, only to have the goal disallowed by referee **Bob Henderson.**

24th min: French sends a great pass to Kent who tries to slot the ball just inside the far post. He has the goalkeeper beaten but his well-measured shot hits the bottom of the post.

26th min: **Dave Harding** is shown the yellow card for arguing with referee Henderson.

42nd min: Hellas goalkeeper **Jack Reilly** makes a good save by sliding the ball out of **Col Curran's** path after a fine diagonal pass from **Peter Wilson.**

52nd min: Mitten crosses to French who heads the ball into the net but Henderson disallows it for a foul on goalkeeper **Terry Eaton.**

55th min: Mitten is foiled in the penalty area by Wilson's sliding tackle, only seconds after Rogers had threatened the goal.

57th min: Ollerton lobs into the penalty area where French rams it against the crossbar.

58th min: Gibson scores to make it 1-0 for Hellas.

64th: Kent and French go forwards with one-twos but once through the defence, Kent shoots over the bar.

69th: French takes a wild swing at a loose ball 8 metres out, but misses it.

71st: **Clive Eaton,** in one of Wests' rare scoring attempts, heads over the b.

74th: Ollerton crosses to Kent, Kent crosses back to Ollerton racing into the area and Ollerton just misses.

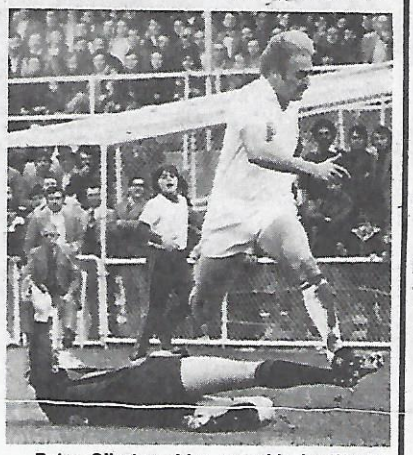
80th min: Ollerton's free kick goes through Terry Eaton's hands but it's cleared by **Steve Perry** before French can follow up.

85th min: Ollerton, in a fast breakaway, squares the ball to French alone in the middle. French changes legs in mid-air but his sot misses.

87th min: Rogers scores 2-0 from Ollerton's cross.

88th: **Ian Moores** gets a chance 6 metres out but his shot is smothered well by **Jack Reilly.**

Corner of goal kick? Hellas and Wests make conflicting appeals. From left: John Daperis, Clive Eaton, Chris Kalafatidis, Arthur Xanthopoulos (background). Pictures by SAM BELFONTE.



Peter Ollerton rides a tackle by Wests' Warren Turnbull.

STEPHEN KALUS

"I don't know anything" ...says club chairman.

Lack of communication with the media is another reason why some of the Victorian State League clubs are in big financial trouble.

"Soccer Action's" spies told us that a talented forward arrived from Scotland to join Hakoah-St. Kilda. Naturally we immediately contacted a top official of the club who confirmed our information, but added "I am bound by the decision of my committee not to give any details to "Soccer Action".

We then contacted the chairman of the club and his answer was: "I don't know anything".

And when the registration office of the VSF was approached the answer was: "Details can be obtained only by the club concerned.

That's how most of the State League clubs "build up" their coming games so no wonder that very often their teams play in front of empty stands.

For the information of our readers, we succeeded in obtaining details of the new player, David Ferguson, 21-year-old top forward from Scotland. He was cleared to Hakoah by the Blantire Celtic Club . . .

"Supermac" deserved in full his pay cheque for playing for SM. Hellas although his last appearance against Canberra City had to be called off because of heavy rain.

You would think that Malcolm Macdonald earned his money only for playing matches, but in fact he was working hard to promote the game amongst youngsters. A clinic at Middle Park was a big success, but you would not believe that "Supermac", in his short stay in Australia, had time to do a wonderful publicity and promotions job in the Latrobe Valley area.

I received a letter from Mr. David Barnes, the Press Liaison Officer of the FIFA Coca-Cola Information Centre in London, inviting members of the Australian Soccer Press Association to attend the next youth tournament organised by FIFA-Coca-Cola in Sydney.

Mr. Barnes also asked any soccer writers from Australia wanting to attend this year's tournament in Tunisia to contact him at the management office in Tunisia.

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Ian McDonald sport editor of the "Sunday Press" and well known football writer has accepted an ivitation by the Soccer Press Association to be the guest speaker at the next general meeting.

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Ted Lezon, honorary life member of Polonia and soccer writer, is attending a conference in Poland of ex-Olympic officials.

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Two, perhaps even more players from Poland will strengthen the Polonia-Marybyrnong team. Strikers Wisniewski and Novak will be seen in action in the vital game against Juventus at Olympic Park.

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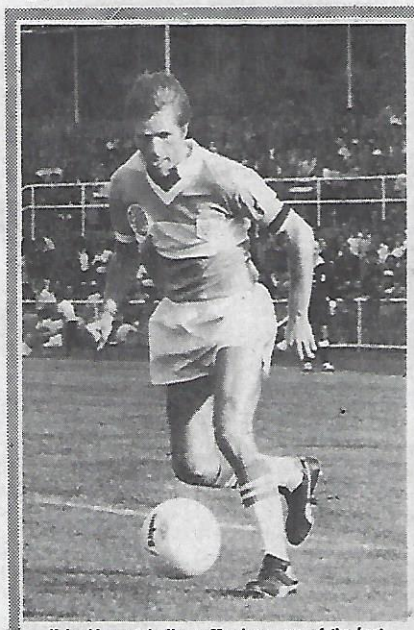


Hakoah's captain Henry Mowbray, one of the best left backs in the league.

Hakoah-Eastern Suburbs the "soccer machine" was formed in 1939 — which makes the club one of the oldest in NSW — when a group of recently-arrived refugees from Germany and Austria got together to resume a sport they had to abandon in Europe.

What better name to bestow upon their fledgling team than Hakoah Soccer Club in honour of the world-famous Jewish-sponsored sporting organisation in Vienna.

At first they played on open pitches against any team that would give them a game.

After the war (during which many of the players joined in the war effort) they qualified for the Sydney Metropolitan League, then into the Southern League, and in due course, as the club grew in membership and playing strength, into the NSW Soccer Association Second Division.

In 1956 both the first grade reserve teams won the premiership and Cup finals and Hakoah was the only 2nd Division club to qualify in the State Cup, winning and drawing with 1st Division clubs before being eliminated by the eventual winner.

Even in the 2nd Division, attendances at Hakoah matches were greater than most 1st Division games at the time.

But when promotion was denied the club, Hakoah took the initiative in 1957 in the formation of the NSW Federation of Soccer Clubs. Eventually the vigorous and progressive policy of the State Federation spread interstate, leading to the establishment of the Australian Soccer Federation.

During the 20 years of Federation competition, Hakoah has won many honours on the playing field, and has had many Australian internationals including John Watkiss, Alan Marnoch, Willie Rutherford, Todd Clarke, Agenor Muniz, Danny Walsh, and Ray Baartz.

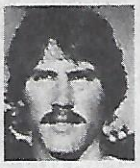
Titles galore

1957 won the Kennard Cup (subsequently the Ampol Cup).
1959 won the Federation Cup.
1961 won the grand final.
1962 won the grand final.
1963 won the Federation Cup.
1965 won the Federation Cup & the Australian Cup.
1966 won the grand final.
1968 won the Ampol Cup, premiership, grand final and the Australian Cup (Hakoah was the only team to win the latter more than once).
1970 won premiership.
1971 won premiership and State Cup.
1973 won Ampol Cup and premiership.
1974 won premiership.
1976 won State Cup.

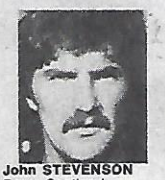
MEET THE PLAYERS

Murray BARNES
Born: Australia
Age: 23
Height: 183 cm
Weight: 80 kg
Usual position: striker
With club: 6 years
Representative games: NSW, Australia

Alan KERSHAW
Born: England
Age: 23
Height: 177 cm
Weight: 75 kg
Position: Utility
Playing career: Dundee United (Scotland)



Stephen O'CONNOR
Born: Australia
Age: 22
Height: 179 cm
Weight: 82 kg
Usual position: centre back
With club: 7 years



John STEVENSON
Born: Scotland
Age: 22
Height: 172 cm
Weight: 72 kg
Usual position: mid-fielder
With club: 2 years
Playing career: St. Johnstone (Scotland)

Alan FARLEY
Born: Australia
Age: 21
Height: 182 cm
Weight: 76 kg
Usual position: Goalkeeper
With club: 3 years

Kevin MULLEN
Born: Australia
Age: 23
Height: 177 cm
Weight: 72 kg
Usual position: right back
With club: 7 years
Representative games: NSW

Joe WATSON
Born: Scotland
Age: 25
Height: 168 cm
Weight: 67 kg
Usual position: right wing
With club: 5 years
Playing career: Forfar Athletic (Scotland)

Alec ROBERTSON
Born: Scotland
Age: 22
Height: 178 cm
Weight: 73 kg
Usual position: centre back
With club: 4 years
Playing career: Hibernian, Scotland; Dundee Utd., Scotland

Bertie LUTTON
Born: N. Ireland
Age: 26
Height: 176 cm
Weight: 71 kg
Usual position: mid-fielder
With club: 2 years
Playing career: Wolves, West Ham, Brighton, England
Representative games: N. Ireland

Todd CLARKE
Born: Australia
Age: 26
Height: 183 cm
Weight: 79 kg
Usual position: goalkeeper
With club: 2 years
Playing career: Beograd (Adelaide)
Representative games: S.A., Australia

Henry MOWBRAY
Born: Scotland
Age: 29
Height: 177 cm
Weight: 72 kg
Usual position: left back
With club: 4 years
Playing career: St. Mirren, Scotland

Terry SMITH
Born: England
Age: 25
Height: 182 cm
Weight: 82 kg
Usual position: striker
With club: 3 years
Playing career: Stoke City (England), Western Suburbs, St. George

Hilton SILVA
Born: Brazil
Age: 26
Height: 178 cm
Weight: 72 kg
Usual position: left wing
With club: 7 years
Playing career: Vasco da Gama (Brazil)

Luis DI MELO
Born: Brazil
Age: 26
Height: 175 cm
Weight: 72 kg
Usual position: mid-fielder
With club: 7 years
Playing career: Flameco (Brazil)

Eddy Thompson
Born: Scotland
Position: defence
Former club: Aberdeen
Joined few weeks ago

Hakoah striker Terry Smith (right), highest scorer in the national league, shoots at goal, past Jim Campbell of Fitzroy-Alexander.

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Alexander players offered $320

From page one

Hakoah's Murray Barnes and Terry Smith, who have scored 16 goals between them so far will give Jim Kondarios and company their biggest test yet, but Kondarios is solid as are the men around him.

Fitzroy Alexander has a lot to prove to its fans, especially after failing to keep its promise to bring Dimitri Papaiouannou here for guest games.

Alexander is said to have offered every player $320 to beat St. George in Sydney last week — which shows just how desperate the club is to erase the memory of its 8-1 loss to Marconi.

At Olympic Park on Sunday, Alexander will vie with Hellas for the title of Melbourne's No.1 Greek team, but it'll be a difficult assignment as Hellas hit top form in beating Western Suburbs 2-0 last Sunday.

With **Chris Kent** and **Noel Mitten** providing solid drive down the wings, strikers **Peter Ollerton** and **Graham French** have their fangs bared.

Alexander failed to get Papaiouannou because he signed a new contract with AEK Athens which apparently stipulates that he is not allowed to play guest games.

Word is that Alexander will now try to get either Greece's top scorer, Intzoglou of Ethnikos or forward Philakouris, also of Ethnikos, formerly of Panathinakos.

Rale Rasic's Marconi comes to Adelaide on Sunday with two objectives — to retain its position at the top of the ladder and to erase the bitter memory of its 4-0 drubbing by Juventus early in the season.

But Juventus, with its sights set on the leadership, will have different ideas.

With an expected 15,000 crowd (Rasic predicts 20,000) at Olympic Sports Field cheering **Dixie Deans** and Co., Marconi faces its toughest challenge of the season.

Although Juventus is not likely to repeat its first round 4-0 win, the way it destroyed West Adelaide Hellas suggests Marconi will find little joy in facing **Edmund Kreft's** men.

While Marconi will probably have a slight edge in midfield with **Jim Rooney, Ray Richards** and **Roberto Vieri** pitted against **Gary Marocchi, John Perin** and **Agenor Muniz**, Juventus' attack looks lethal.

Deans unquestionably the best striker in Australia. **John Nyskohus** and the underrated **Brian Northcote** have already destroyed some of the best defences in the league this season.

But while **Nyskohus** and **Northcote** will give Marconi constant headaches the real danger will be **Deans.**

This fantastic little Scot likes nothing better than a tough game and very few defenders have been able to keep him quiet for 90 minutes.

At the other end Marconi's dashing striking duo **Peter Sharne** and **Ernie Campbell** will give Juventus something to think about.

Sharne is also aiming for a place in the Australian team and the speedy 21-year-old will never have a better opportunity to show **Jimmy Shoulder** what he's made of.

While both sides are evenly matched in midfield and attack, Juventus' defence looks better.

But Kreft will have to sit down and find a replacement for cool defender Zoran Matic who is Serving a one-week suspension.

If history means anything Juventus will win. Apart from its first round win, it beat Marconi 3-0 in a friendly match three seasons ago.

And **John Perin** was the man behind that win.

Perin is currently playing better than at any time of his career and along with **Muniz** and **Marocchi** they represent the most skilful midfield in Australia.

Rasic maintains that his team will win the championship and it will take a giant step towards that goal by beating Juventus on Sunday, but 15,000 Adelaide fans will not agree with him.

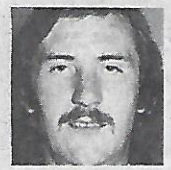
Tom O'Halloran

Damian Murphy

Paul Deeming

Tommy Cumming

Hugh Humphries


Kevin Kelly

Vince Bannon

Full scale revolt in sensational week

Last week was a week of sensations in the State League, for, besides the usual flurry of activity in the last weeks of the transfer season, players left unexpectedly for the U.K and on the eve of a very important fixture, Slavia found itself with a full-scale revolt on its hands.

In a situation reminiscent of the George Cross affair of 1971, eight senior players, after demanding an extra match payment and having it refused, walked out and were promptly suspended by the club.

I understand that some attempt will be made to settle the dispute this week, and if it is not successful, the players could be out on a limb for the rest of the season, as the transfer season ends on Thursday of this week.

Meanwhile the transfer market has been very busy.

We reported last week in good faith that **Vince Bannon** was being transferred to Juventus, but a last minute hitch developed.

The move had the support of prominent committeemen, but others felt that since the club had already purchased **Mick Watkins, John Hotson, Hugh Graham, Jed Bannon, Steve Walker, Jim Armstrong** and **Charlie Smith,** that they couldn't bear to see another Italian player displaced, so the deal was off.

Meanwhile, Sunshine's **Tom Cumming** settled his differences and played on Sunday, but so far Ringwood City hasn't been as lucky, as both **Andy Scott** and **David Jones** have reiterated their determination to return home to Lancashire this week.

Altona City also suffered a severe blow when it heard that its talented midfielder **Alby Brown** would have stop playing on medical grounds.

George Cross players have been in the news too, with **Damian Murphy** moving to Brighton and both **Paul Deeming** and **Kevin Kelly** rumoured tobe looking for a move too.

Hugh Humphreys has been transferred from Polonia to Heidelberg and Ringwood City has snapped up **Tommy O'Halloran** of Doveton.

— LES SHORROCK.

Vojtek puzzle solved

The mystery that has surrounded Billy Vojtek's disappearance has finally been solved.

Vojtek, former Victorian and Australian star, says that for the past 15 months he has been carrying a nasty ankle injury, meaning he has played virtually on one leg.

"I could run straight but I couldn't twist or turn," he said. "In the past few weeks my leg went from bad to worse until in the end, I couldn't even run."

This week Vojtek saw a specialist who told him he had an inflamed achilles tendon and that a rest of six weeks was necessary to repair the damage.

When asked if this could be the end of him, Vojtek just laughed and said: "Of course not. I'm only 32 and I'll be back later in the year to win back my place in the Essendon Lions team."

He added: "I hope to be fully fit for the conclusion of the Dockerty Cup. You know, Essendon could reach the final."

'ROOKIES' HOLD TOP TEAM 0-0

Victorian State League round-up by LES SHORROCK.

SLAVIA 0 GEORGE CROSS 0

SLAVIA: Clarke 6, Thomson 7, Miller 6, Short 8, Symington 7, Pye 7, Williams 6, Train 6, Bennie 6, Mitchell 5, Baber 5.

GEORGE CROSS: Kastner 5, McConville 6, Cutajar 6, Webb 6, Maitland 6, Wilkinson 6, Ebini 6, Barron 6, Reed 6, Murphy 6, Cullen 6.

Slavia, forced to play seven reserves because of a players' strike on Friday night, performed magnificently in holding George Cross to a goalless draw.

Player discontent has been simmering below the surface for a long time at Slavia and it came to the surface at training on Saturday when eight senior players walked out.

The players had asked for a $20 bonus for the all-important top of the table clash with George Cross, but president **Peter Collins** said they were already partaking in a profit-sharing scheme with regard to final four money, and they weren't getting any more.

He then asked any players who weren't satisfied to get up and leave, whereup **John Cain, Carl Gilder, Steve Moore, Les Owens, Mick O'Halloran, Dave Ripley, Paul Smith,** and **Glenn Westley** left the room.

Coach **Ken Kontra** then picked a team from the remainder of his staff, and how magnificently they responded to the crisis!

Steve Short, playing centre-back was quite the best man on the ground, and **Dave Pye** and **Jim Symington** were not far behind him.

I haven't seen a team play with such fervour and urgency since Sunshine City of twelve months ago, and George Cross seemed nonplussed by Slavia's never-say-die nonstop chasing.

Georgie opened up in nonchalant fashion, as befits League leaders facing a scratch side, but apart from a piledriver from **Billy Wilkinson** that screamed an inch wide of **Clarke's** goal, they never troubled the Slavia defence in the opening half-hour.

The Slavia back four cleared the ball first time, played the offside trap to perfection, and passed back to Clarke every ball that got within 25 yards of their goal.

Slavia's makeshift front line of **Mark Baber, Steve Bennie,** and **Jim Williams,** all newcomers in the last four weeks, rarely looked like troubling **Lou Kastner,** but **Dave Pye** did, and he hit a tremendous shot at the 20 minute mark that Kastner was very thankful to grab at the second attempt.

He followed it up with another ten minutes later.

George Cross tried hard enough but wingers **Cullen** and **Ebini** could make no headway against **Thomson** and **Miller,** even though they switched wings frequently, and every time **Wilkinson, Barron** and **Murphy** tried to set up a ball for striker **Ken Reed, Symington** stretched out a long leg and hooked it away.

The Slavia defence did get in a tangle right on half time, when Clarke went full length to make a good save, lost the ball, and eventually saw **Paul Murphy** blast high over the bar.

The second half was almost a replica of the first, but in the last fifteen minutes Georgie made a sustained effort that had Slavia's captain, Clarke looking anxiously at the bench, but Kontra made no changes, possibly because he had no alternative, and surprisingly, neither did George Cross.

Possibly this was a blunder on Georgie's part, for a fresh man might have made all the difference in the closing stages.

As it was, **Steve Short** nearly snatched victory for Slavia, in the last minute forcing **Lou Kastner** to make great save.

It was a triumphant return to the first team for **Jim Symington,** whose last game culminated in a send-off at Middle Park against Hakoah.

It was generally accepted that he would join the rebels, but when the crunch came, he stayed with the loyalists.

Here are the men left at Slavia after eight went on strike, from left: S. Short, T. Newbiggin, Clarke, Miller, Baber, K. Kontra (coach), P. Collins (President), V. French, K. Slack, Thompson, Symington, Train, Pye, Mitchell, Williams, Bennie.

Juve goal hungry

George Cross unexpectedly dropped a point to a much reshuffled Slavia side, but still remain Victoria's only unbeaten side.

This week Georgie visits Lions, who are desperate for a win, and this could be another draw.

Juventus, having scored five last week, will be looking to improve its goal average at Polonia's expense on Saturday and Frankston, having re-discovered the route to goal, should overcome Ringwood, weakened by the loss of the State's top goalscorer, Andy Scott.

Forecast: Saturday, JUVENTUS v Polonia. Sunday: Lions v George Cross (draw); Slavia v Sunshine (draw); FRANKSTON V Ringwood C; Altona C v Preston (draw); GREEN GULLY v Hakoah.

JUVENTUS 5 (Smith 1, Watkins 43, 50, 75, Armstrong 60) Makedonia 0

JUVENTUS: Graham, Della Rocca, Sabadini, Walker, Pfisterer, Bannon, Watkins, Smith, Armstrong, Luccesi, Hotson.

MAKEDONIA: Laumets, Trajkowski, Beech, Campbell, Brewerton, Bernard, Fox, Petrovski, Flaherty, McQuade, McClymont.

It had to happen. One day the star-studded Juventus lineup was bound to click, and unfortunately for Preston, it all came together on Sunday.

The goalrush started in the first minute, when Juventus was awarded a free-kick.

Juve's usual free-kick specialist was on the bench and whilst the team was deciding who should take the kick, **Charlie Smith** decided he would score direct, and he did, bending the ball round the wall and leaving **Laumets** flat-footed.

After that it was an end to end game with both sides having chances until **Mickey Watkins** scored a superb individual goal two minutes from the break

After half-time Watkins scored again, beating the Preston defence and planting the ball past Laumets.

He completed his hat-trick fifteen minutes from the end, waltzing through the defence and showing superb ball control.

Juventus' fourth goal was scored by **Jim Armstrong** who volleyed home a **John Hotson** cross from fully 25 yards out.

It was Armstrong's 145th goal in State League soccer, but it'll be a while before he scores again, as he broke a bone in his leg and will be in plaster for two weeks.

This good win of Juve's which most spectators voted their best display for many years should finally stifle the knockers of coach **Bobby McLachlan,** whom one Sunday writer seems to think is on his way out.

Bob McLachlan was full of praise after the match saying it was a very good all round team effort, and it was obvious that now **Charlie Smith** is with the club of his choice he is going to have a profound effect on the rest of the State League season.

FRANKSTON 4 (Eadie 16, Pen 80, Spears 35, Savage 55), SUNSHINE 3 (Gilmour 6, Pocock 60, Tracey o.g. 85)

FRANKSTON: Petersen, Gillespie, Campbell, Adams, Irvine, Gorrie (sub Tracey 65), Savage, Bray, Westerveld, Eadie, Spears.

SUNSHINE: Johnson, Howe, Lewis, Dixey, Mussel, McCarthy, Nelson, Gilmour, Pocock, T. Banagan, Cumming.

Sunshine shocked Frankston by taking the lead after only six minutes. **Stewart Gilmour** shook off tackles from **Bobby Adams** and **Sandy Irvine** and crashed the ball home from an acute angle.

Frankston equalised ten minutes later after a good run by **Billy Spears,** who cut the ball back for **Gus Eadie** to run on to it and score.

Then **Billy Spears** made it 2-1 for Frankston when he hit home a **Westerveld** cross.

Ten minutes after the second half started, Andy Savage who starred all day, scored with a beautiful shot that bent away from **Johnson** and went in by the far post.

Ray Pocock then pulled one back for Sunshine with a well-taken free-kick, but **Gus Eadie** restored Frankston's lead with a penalty awarded for a foul on **Eric Gillespie.**

Five minutes from time a cross from **Bob Nelson** was helped into the net by Frankston's sub, **Tracey.**

ALTONA 0, RINGWOOD 2 (O'Callaghan 5, Plumb 85)

ALTONA: Van der Poel, Pedley, Lord, Gramsbergen, Murray, Ackers, M. Banagan, Curcio (sub Watters), Ignatides, Little, Davidson.

RINGWOOD: Kreskas, Adams, Verniers, Luyten, De Bruyckere, Schott, Williamson, Plumb, Scott, Jones, O'Callaghan.

This was Altona's second home loss for the season, and it was plain that **Alby Brown,** who returned home the Wednesday before the game, will be sorely missed.

The first goal came through a misunderstanding in defence when a free-kick taken by **O'Callaghan** eluded **Van der Poel.**

Ringwood's second goal came five minutes from the end and was headed home by Richard Plumb.

This was the last game in Ringwood colours for both **Andy Scott** and **David Jones,** and their departure comes just as Ringwood seemed to be pulling their way up the League ladder, having gone five weeks without defeat.

AJAX 1 (Tribuzzio 65), LIONS 0

AJAX: Denys, P. Banagan, Berens, Donaldson, J. Thompson, Miller (sub Vassallo), McGill (sub Hamill), Thomson, Segi, Patton, Tribuzzio.

LIONS: Kennedy, Bilaver, Train, Gunn, Kokoska, Culina (sub Andrews), Wallace, Kerr, Kuzmanov (sub Andrews), McMillan, Murphy.

Green Gully Ajax was content to let Lions do the attacking, relying on a deep defence and the quick counter-attack.

The game was of a very good standard, and Green Gully could count themselves unlucky that they had the ball in the net three times and only one counted.

This was scored by **Gerry Tribuzzio** twenty minutes into the second half and after that, the Gully, with ever-increasing confidence took over.

POLONIA 0 HAKOAH 1 (Roberts 50)

POLONIA: Sierokowski, Dimitriou, Meniecka, Koter, A. Czapnik (sub Podgorski), P. Czapnik, S. Klain, Horfiniak, Herman, Nierobisz, Altieri.

HAKOAH: O'Hara, Rainey, Nagy, Jordanou, Baker, Blair, Gadsby, De Placida, Edmondson, McNeil, Roberts.

Hakoah maintained its remarkable away record with another win to keep it in third place in the table.

The first half was very even, with Polonia having their chances, but being unable to pass **David Baker** and **Mike O'Hara.**

Bruce Roberts got the all-important goal five minutes into the second half.

Team of the Week

DENYS (Gr. Gully)

ADAMS (Ringwood), BAKER (Hakoah), SHORT (Slavia), DONALDSON (Gr Gully)

BANNON (Juventus), WALLACE (Lions), PYE (Slavia)

WATKINS (Juventus), SAVAGE (Frankston), SPEARS (Frankston)

Player of the Week

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AJAX REIGNS AGAIN!

● Ajax-Amsterdam, standing, from left: De La Ling, Schrijvers, Suurbier, Erkens, van Dord, Krol. Front: Schoenaker, Lerby, Dusbaba, Geels, Notten.

Ajax's first championship win in Holland for four years brought immediate comparisons with their great side of the early 'seventies.

The "Cruyff team" was, with the exception of the early Real Madrid European Cup side of the 'fifties, the finest seen in modern times.

After the Amsterdammers' hat-trick of Euro wins, big-money offers from abroad lured their stars away.

Ajax, not surprisingly, declined following this exodus, but new manager Ivic has built a solid side aroound two stars: Ruud Krol and Ruud Geels.

Ajax have won the title again . . . but are unlikely to repeat their successes.

The players

(Totals last season)

PIET SCHRIJVERS, goalkeeper. Former Twente 'keeper, joined Ajax in 1974. Born 15-12-'46. Good, fast reactions. League appearances: 32.

WIM SUURBIER, full-back. Ajax youth-product. Born 16-1-'45. Very fast, ruthless, dangerous overlapper. L.app: 22.

RUUD KROL, sweeper. Youth-product. This year converted into sweeper, formerly left-back. World-class. Authority on the field, can "carry" a side on his own. Fast and extremely strong. L.app: 32 (all as capt.), goals: 1.

JOHNNY DUSBABA, stopper, joined Ajax in 1974 from Den Haag. Born 14-3-'56. Changed from a stopper into a creative player this season. L.app: 33, 1 sub. goals: 2.

PIM VAN DORD, full-back. Youth-product. Born 7-8-'53. L.app: 23, 4 subs.

RENE NOTTEN, schemer, came from Twente in 1975. Born 20-11-'49. Good player, who has not yet reached the same standard with Ajax, as with Twente. L.app: 21, 5 subs., goals: 2.

DICK SCHOENAKER, schemer, joined Ajax from de Graffschap in 1976. Born 30-11-'52. Hard worker, a useful team-player. L.app: 30, 3 subs., goals: 6.

HANS ERKENS, schemer/full-back. Came from FSC (1st Div.) in 1976. Born 14-7-'52. A fast, hard-working and versatile player. Has fitted into the Ajax side well. L.app: 25, 3 subs., goals: 4.

JOHAN ZUIDEMA, schemer/winger. Joined Ajax in 1976 from NEC. Former Twente star. Born 21-9-'48. Successfully converted into a schemer this year. Proved an excellent player the second-half of the season. L.app: 19, 13 subs., goals: 4.

THIEU LA LING, winger, joined Ajax from Den Haag in 1975. A talented winger, who still lacks the right attitude to the game to make it to the ultimate top. Dutch-born with Indonesian looks. L.app: 8, 21 subs., goals: 3. Born 6-1-'56.

RUUD GEELS, striker, Joined Ajax from FC Bruges in 1974. Born 28-7-'48. One of the most consistent scorers in the world. Scored over 90 League goals for Ajax in three seasons. A very neat player. Always alert. L.app: 34, goals: 34.

FRANK ARNESEN, winger/striker. Joined Ajax from Denmark in 1975. Born 30-9-'56. A talented player, who is not yet at his top. L.app: 7, 16 subs., goals: 2.

BARRY HULSHOFF: stopper/sweeper. Youth-product. Born 30-9-'46. This great player has unfortunately never really recovered from his injury in 1974, which kept him out of the World Cup Finals. L.app: 18, 7 subs., goal: 1.

RESULTS 1976/77

(Home result first)

FC Amster. . . 1-0, 3-2
AZ'67 . . . . . 1-0, 3-0
Den Haag . . . 2-1, 2-1
G.A. Eagles . 4-0, 0-1
Eindhoven . . 3-2, 1-0
Feyenoord . . 2-1, 1-1
De Graaf. . . . 1-0, 0-0
Haarlem 2-0, 0-2
NAC 4-0, 1-0
NEC 2-1, 0-0
PSV 1-0, 1-3
Roda JC 1-2, 3-2
Sparta 1-3, 3-0
Telstar 4-0, 0-0
FC Twente . . 1-1, 2-1
FC Utrecht . . 7-0, 2-0
FC VVV . . . k1-0, 2-2

Johan Cruyff, captain of Holland, and Ajax's greatest-ever player, now with Barcelona in Spain.

LEAGUE TABLE, 1976/77

	TOTAL							HOME							AWAY						
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Ajax	34	23	6	5	62	26	52	17	14	2	1	43	10	30	17	9	5	3	24	15	23
PSV	34	20	7	7	64	31	47	17	14	2	1	43	10	30	17	6	5	6	21	21	17
AZ '67	34	19	8	7	75	29	46	17	14	2	1	47	11	30	17	5	6	6	28	18	16
Feyenoord	34	16	12	6	65	35	44	17	8	6	3	37	19	22	17	8	6	3	28	16	22
Roda JC	34	17	8	9	53	35	42	17	10	5	2	30	13	25	17	7	3	7	23	22	17
FC Utrecht	34	16	6	12	59	66	38	17	12	2	3	37	22	26	17	4	4	9	22	44	12
Sparta	34	12	12	10	52	47	36	17	10	3	4	37	19	23	17	2	9	6	15	28	13
NAC	34	11	12	11	41	53	34	17	10	5	2	25	10	25	17	1	7	9	16	43	9
FC Twente	34	12	9	13	52	40	33	17	8	4	5	38	15	20	17	4	5	8	14	25	13
FC Den Haag	34	10	12	12	50	42	32	17	9	6	2	35	15	24	17	1	6	10	15	27	8
Go Ahead Eagles	34	10	11	13	43	63	31	17	7	7	3	28	22	21	17	3	4	10	15	41	10
Haarlem	34	11	7	16	35	47	29	17	8	4	5	24	16	10	17	3	4	10	15	41	10
FC VVV	34	8	11	15	37	60	27	17	7	7	3	21	15	21	17	1	4	12	16	45	6
Telstar	34	7	12	15	35	57	26	17	6	7	4	21	18	19	17	1	5	11	14	39	7
FC Amsterdam	34	7	11	16	41	58	25	17	3	7	6	27	28	15	17	3	4	10	14	30	10
NEC	34	6	12	16	41	54	24	17	5	8	4	27	16	18	17	1	4	12	14	38	6
Eindhoven	34	6	12	16	28	63	24	17	6	7	4	19	23	19	17	0	5	12	9	37	5
De Graafschap	34	6	10	18	29	56	22	17	5	6	6	20	24	16	17	1	4	12	9	32	6

Ajax sweeper Ruud Krol.

Facts and figures

Founded: March 18, 1900.
First League match: 1902 (no exact date known).
Principal honours:
Championship: 1918, 1919, 1931, 1932, 1934, 1937, 1939, 1947, 1957, 1960, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1970, 1972, 1973, 1977.
KNVB Cup: 1917, 1943, 1960, 1961, 1967, 1970, 1971, 1972.
European Cup: 1971, 1972, 1973.
World Cup Championship: 1972.
European Super Cup: 1973, 1974.
Football League career: ever since the start of the professional League, season 1956-57, in the highest Division: the Dutch Division of Honour.
Record victory: 17-0 against unknown opposition in 1930-31. 12-1 against Vitesse in '71-'72.
Record defeat: 0-6 against Lumburgia in '51-'52.
Most points in a season: '71-'72: 63 out of possible 68.
Goals in a season: Henk Groot 41 in '60-'61. Johan Cruyff (all Ajax): 190.
Most caps: Wim Andriessen Sr. (1930's): 46.
Most goals scored in a season by the side: 122 in '66-'67.
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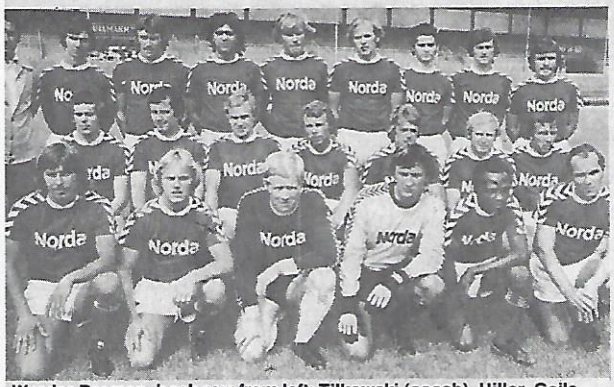

Werder Bremen, back row from left: Tilkowski (coach), Hiller, Geils, Muellner, Roentved, Ohling, Mense, Meininger, Konschal. Middle row: Siegmann, Weist, Kontny, Ruetten, Bracht, Goerts, Hoettges. Front row: Schlief, Roeber, Voss, Burdenski, Sunday, Kamp.

Hannover 96, from left: Stiller, Blumenthal, Stegmayer, Damjanoff, Wunder, Weber, Kulik, Luettges, Kaemmer, Dittel, Anders.

Players to strike for freedom?

LONDON. — A strike by British professional footballers at the start of next season moved closer when the Football League clubs left the players' freedom of contract issue unsolved.

At the English Football League's annual meeting here the clubs voted in principle for freedom of contract, but a vote for the necessary approval for the changes in league regulations was defeated.

Voting was 33 to 15 in favor of the changes — three votes short of the necessary three-quarters majority.

The league now expects to be served with strike notices by the Professional Footballers' Association, whose patience has worn thin after 2½ years of negotiations with the league clubs.

Football League secretary Alan Hardaker commented: "It now seems likely that the whole situation could end in the courts. I believe, and so does the management committee, that our proposals would have been for the good of football. Now it seems to have all been thrown out of the window."

Kempes tops

Valencia's Argentinian striker, **Mario Kempes** (pictured) ended the season as Spain's top goalscorer. The 22-year-old striker, who scored 85 goals in three seasons with Rosario Central, notched another 24 for Valencia, pipping Espanol winger Maranon (29) for the title of "Pichichi".

Barcelona striker Manolo Clares (29) finished in third place with 22 goals.

Holland's 'spy' in Belgium

Holland's new manager is Ernst Happel (pictured below) who coaches FC Bruges in Belgium, one of the countries opposed to Holland in the World Cup qualifying series.

Bruges supplies several players to the Belgian national team, so later this month Happel will be scheming against some of his club players in his capacity of Holland manager.

EIGHT CLUBS KICKED OUT

Eight clubs have been kicked out of the West German National League first and second divisions because they are hopelessly in debt.

From DICK BAER

Among them is Werder Bremen which has been in the Bundesliga since its formation and which toured Australia in 1970.

Werder has debts of about $900,000.

St Pauli, which has just won promotion to the First Division, is another club given the boot. It owes about $600,000.

Berlin club **Tennis Borussia** goes out with debts of $675,000.

But those debts are only chicken feed compared with **Hannover 96** and **Kickers Offenbach** which are both $1.6 million in the red.

The other clubs which have been refused national league licences for next season, which starts in August, are **Waldhof Mannheim, Bonner FC** and **Union Solingen** which each owe more than $400,000.

All will have to play in the amateur ranks next season.

Meanwhile, another Second Division national league club, **Roechling Voelkingen**, has withdrawn voluntarily because the Voelkingen steel works have withdrawn their sponsorship of the club.

Mainz 05, which also played in the Second Division, withdrew last year becuase of financial difficulties.

Yet all these clubs had commercial sponsorship!

St Pauli bore the name of a company called Lueder Bauring on its shirts and received $50-0,000 from a department store as well.

The chairman of the West German Bundesliga, **Herr Neudecker**, who is also president of Bayern Munich, announced the "sackings" last week.

Tennis Borussia, back row from left: Siegmann, Kraus, Sackewitz, Merkemeier, Jakobs, Stolzenburg, Heun, Schwidrowski, Ferrin, Eggert, Johannsen (coach). Front row: Schulz, Thiel, Pegel, Bittlmayer, Wittke, Birkemeier, Subklewe, Sprenger, Hoffmann, Mulack.

FC St Pauli, back row from left: Naujokat (masseur), Rosenfeld, Kampf, Waack, Haegermann, Skov, Fock, Marsolleck, Demuth, John, Krause (coach). Front: Box, Neumann, Mutapdzja, Schiller, Kilian, Rietzke, Hansen, Hoefert, Baumann.

However, seven of the eight clubs won't take the decision lying down.

Werder Bremen, St Pauli, Tennis Borussia, Hannover 96, Kickers Offenbach, Waldhof Mannheim and Bonner FC have said they will go to court to try to have the decision reversed.

They will argue they are commercial companies rather than sports clubs and that under German law companies have the right to equal opportunity.

Meanwhile, the Bundesliga will assess applicants for the vacancies in the First and Second Divisions.

Bettega is Italy's player of year

Italy's Footballer of the Year is Roberto Bettega, of Juventus and Italy, according to a poll organised by Radio Monte Carlo.

A panel of 43 football writers were invited to vote, and Bettega finished ahead of Roberto Pruzzo (Genoa) and Francesco Graziani (Torino).

All the top three are forwards whereas in England, the trophy went to a defender, Emlyn Hughes of Liverpool.

With Italian football defence-orientated there must be a moral somewhere.

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SUPER SOCCER '77

Presenting: Dalglish, Brady and Bogicevic

This week we introduce the midfielders in our continuing series on the super soccer series between Australia, Red Star, Celtic and Arsenal next month.

And it's here that we start discussing some of the truly great players who we'll see in the tournament.

The midfielders include no lesser personalities than the great **Vladislav Bogicevic** of Red Star and Yugoslavia, **Liam Brady** of Arsenal and Eire and **Kenny Dalglish** of Celtic and Scotland.

Dalglish is listed as a midfielder but scores more goals than some of the best strikers.

Dates and venues of games:

SYDNEY: July 20, Arsenal v. Australia; July 24, Arsenal v. Celtic; July 26, Celtic v. Australia.

MELBOURNE: July 21, Celtic v. Red Star; July 28, Red Star v. Australia; July 31 tournament final between two top teams.

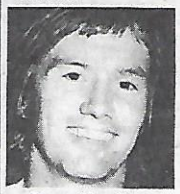
ADELAIDE: July 26, Red Star v. Arsenal.

Here then are the midfielders:

JIMMY ROONEY (AUSTRALIA): *born in Dundee, Scotland, and played for Petersborough United (England) and Montrose (Scotland). Joined Melbourne club Lions in 1968 and won the Argus Medal as the State League's best player the same year. After representing Victoria, he switched to Sydney club Prague in 1970 and to APIA in 1971, the year he was first chosen to represent Australia. Rooney joined Marconi this year to play in the national league. Holds 38 international caps.*

Jimmy Rooney

DAVE HARDING (AUSTRALIA): *born in Liverpool, England, and played at Everton and Wrexham before coming to Australia to join Pan Hellenic, from where he transferred to his present club, Western Suburbs, early in 1976. Has been capped 16 times since 1974 and has recently been a consistent goalscorer for Australia.*



Dave Harding

AGENOR MUNIZ (AUSTRALIA): *born in Brazil where he played for Vasco Da Gama before joining Hakoah (Sydney) in 1971 as a 19-year-old. Had one season with Pan Hellenic while Rale Rasic was coach there before returning to Hakoah last year. However, he could not settle and became Australia's most expensive footballer when transferred to Juventus Adelaide for $15,000 this year. Promoted from the national under 23 squad to the senior national squad by Brian Green for the tour by the USSR in 1975. Has 17 caps.*

Agenor Muniz

GARY BYRNE (AUSTRALIA): *born in England but has spent most of his 23 years in Australia. Played in Sydney for Cambden Juniors, Southern Districts under 16s and Sutherland before joining his present club Marconi where he started in Third Grade. He was in the Australian under 23 squad in 1974-75 before being promoted to the senior squad for the series against the USSR in late 1975 by the then coach Brian Green. Has 18 caps.*

GARY MAROCCHI (AUSTRALIA): *bought by national league leader Adelaide Juventus from Azzurri Perth early this year. Another former national under 23 player who got into the full national squad for the world tour last year. Has five caps.*

PETER STONE (AUSTRALIA): *Joined Western Suburbs from Adamstown Rosebud, Newcastle, four years ago and was given a lot of work by former Wests' coach Les Scheinflug who predicted that Stone would go all the way to the top. Has two caps.*

Bogicevic

VLADISLAV BOGICEVIC (RED STAR): *born in Belgrade, November 7, 1950. Played for Red Star Boys. Played for Yugoslavia Youths and at full international level (31). Was in the World Cup squad 1974. Made about 310 appearances for Red Star. Elegant, arrogant, with no limit to his skill, he was proclaimed by the British press as a "Second Beckenbauer". He is at the moment valued at $1,000,000.*

PETAR BARALIC (RED STAR): *born in Gornja Kravarica, October 3, 1951. Previously played for Borac Cacak, Second Division. Made his first team debut for Red Star two years ago. Played about 185 league, cup and international matches. Midfield player with lots of ability and experience, knocking on the door of the full national team.*

DUSAN NIKOLIC (RED STAR): *Belgrade born, January 23, 1953. Joined Red Star from school and made his league debut three years ago. Played for Yugoslavia Youths more than 30 times. "Dream player" of every manager — an all-round player who recently won three full caps. Has enough air in his lungs to play three games in a row.*

VLADMIRI PETROVIC (RED STAR): *born in Belgrade, July 1, 1955. Played for Hajduk and Red Star Boys. Made his first team debut v. Real Madrid 1972. Has played about 250 official games for the first team. A full international, he has played for Yugoslav 9 times.*

SEAD SUSIC (RED STAR): born at Zavidovic, January 3, 1953. He was transferred to Red Star in 1970 from F.C. Krivaja. Made about 150 appearnces for the club. By his behaviour he is the George Best of Yugoslav football and with ability he is near Best too. Susic missed part of the season due to disciplinary measures but came back strongly, confirming he is one of the best inside forwards in his country.

Kenny Dalglish (left) scores Scotland's second goal in its 2-1 victory over England recently, despite pressure by Hughes (right) and Neal (centre).

KENNY DALGLISH (CELTIC): *Captain of Celtic and the most capped player in the club had the distinction of leading Scotland for the first time in the April friendly against Sweden. He is an absolute ball artist, capable of taking his place in any company though it is true to say that he has not consistently produced his best form in international matches. Dalglish is quick, hard to dispossess and has tremendous vision. He is also a regular marksman. Nobody takes greater joy in bulging the net than Kenny. Dalglish is 26 and has been on the Celtic pay-roll for 10 years. He was first honoured against Belgium in 1971 and he has totted up 41 caps in that time. Indeed, he has an outstanding chance of winning more Scottish caps than anyone in history. He has a superb record and, in the last three seasons alone, Dalglish has contributed a total of 75 goals for a very healthy average.*

From Iceland to Celtic

Because of a shortage of space last week, we had to leave out three players in our run-down on the centre backs. We present them here:

JOHANNES EDVALDSSON (Celtic): This blonde giant came in from the cold of Iceland to establish himself as a personality in Scottish football. He can play centre back or midfield and even score goals, since he collected a hat trick for Celtic in one match against Ayr United. In fact, he has been on target exactly 15 times in his two seasons with the club. He was an ameteur with Valur and a defensive pillar in the Icelandic national team when Celtic offered him terms to turn professional. Evaldsson wasted not a moment in accepting the offer and has settled down so well that he is married to a Glasgow girl. Celtic tries to co-operate as much as possible in releasing him for international duty with Iceland where he remains a favourite.

DAVID O'LEARY (Arsenal)' If he maintains his present progress, O'Leary, 19, is tipped by the Highbury backroom staff to become Arsenal's best-ever centre-back. Dubliner O'Leary has been an Arsenal and Eire regular for the past two years. Whenever he has been absent through injury Eire's fortunes have dived. He joined Arsenal in June 1973 and even England defender Roy MacFarland of Derby rates him as a centre-back who could become the best ever.

Johannes Edvaldson

WILLIE YOUNG (Arsenal): Eyebrows were raised when manager Terry Neill paid North London rivals Spurs $120,000 for the services of giant Scottish under-23 centre-back Willie Young. But the wisdom of Neill's move was soon evident when Young's arrival, to lineup alongside David O'Leary, helped stop the worst run of defeats in Arsenal's history. Young had previously moved from Aberdeen to Spurs for a $250,000 fee when Neill was in charge of Spurs.

David O'Leary

Willie Young

Sead Susic

RONNIE GLAVIN (CELTIC): *he has the misfortune to miss a Cup final badge owing to an injury sustained on his international debut against Sweden just 10 days earlier. It was all working out so well for Ronnie until this injury blow because his goalscoring rate almost earned him the title of Scotland's top sharpshooter. In League and Cup football, Ronnie scored 26 goals and that made a pleasant change from the previous season in which his total was one! Since Celtic had paid $130,000 to Patrick Thistle for his transfer that wasn't much of a return from a player noted for his shooting ability. However, the return of Jock Stein at the helm was all the inspiration that Ronnie needed to find the target and he made a most handsome contribution to the championship win.*

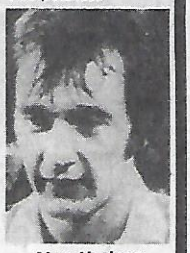
ROY AITKEN (CELTIC): *He was introduced into the first team as a 17-year-old schoolboy last season and held down the centre half job in praiseworthy style. Roy must rank as one of the best developed teenagers in football and his power, allied to natural talent, has seen him become an established first team member. He has moved from the heart of the defence into the midfield and shaped as a most aggressive and hard hitting player alongside his experienced colleagues. Already, Roy has played in the Scotland Under 21 team and this product of the noted Celtic Boys Club nursery is a safe bet to earn his first full cap in the near future. Clearly, there are many outstanding years ahead of this boy.*

PAT McCLUSKEY (CELTIC): *Another experienced player who is on the fringe of the first team now after being a regular for a considerable time. Pat is a brisk tackling defender and a willing worker in the middle of the park. He has been attached to Celtic for seven years and represented Scotland at Under 23 level before the age limit was reduced to 21.*

LIAM BRADY (Arsenal): *The precocious skills of young Dubliner Liam Brady, have already threatened to put his name alongside the great players at Highbury. On his day, he is unstoppable for Arsenal and Eire, but, he has still to add consistency to his undoubted talents. When Brady matures, Arsenal's future could be built around him. Now 20, Liam has just completed his fourth season at Arsenal.*

Liam Brady

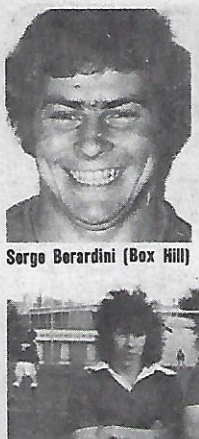
ALAN HUDSON (Arsenal): *After failing to establish himself among the leading midfield players in the country with Chelsea, Stoke City and England, Alan Hudson is currently enjoying a new lease of life after his $250,000 move to Highbury from the Potteries. Manager, Terry Neill took a gamble when he secured the services of Hudson who was labelled a problem boy. But now Hudson has recovered from a troublesome injury he is again starting to display his true potential.*



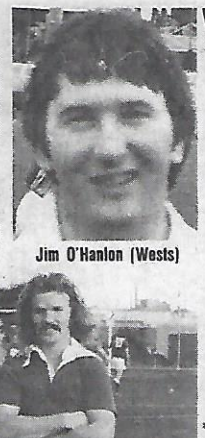
Alan Hudson

GRAHAM RIX (Arsenal): *The emergence of 19-year-old Graham Rix in Arsenal's first-team at the end of the season was a promising sign for the club's future. "Thin man" Rix, who turned down his local club Leeds to go to Highbury, missed half the campaign through a back injury. But his return to fitness signalled a rapid promotion and a call-up to the England under-21 squad.*

TREVOR ROSS (Arsenal): *A Scottish under-21 international, Trevor Ross lost his first-team place after a long run last season and his disillusionment ended with a transfer request. Although born near Manchester and playing for England schoolboys, he elected to turn out for Scotland through his father who was a centre forward with Third Lanark. Ross possesses a fine shot and is a regular scorer. His future could depend on whether he settles in midfield or at full back.*



Serge Berardini (Box Hill)



Jim O'Hanlon (Wests)

WEST'S DOWNHILL SLIDE CONTINUES

WESTERN SUBURBS 1 (Bourdakas 56) BOX HILL 4 (Taylor 20 and 91 McLeod 24, Tuffield 30).
Ratings by Les Sharrock:

WESTERN SUBURBS: Mitanidis 7, Krambousanos 4, Bourdakas 4, Stogiannou 4, Karapanagiotidis 5, O'Hanlon 7, Theocharides 4, Kypiritidis 5 (sub Iossifidis 80), Efthimiou 5, Patsakos 4, Yiannakos 3 (sub S. Spanponis 85).

BOX HILL: Morgan 6, Lapish 6, Hall 7, Waaldyk 6, Brown 6, Cubido 5 (sub Owen 55, 5), Corke 7, McLeod 6, Berardini 7, Tuffield 6 (sub Jones 5), Taylor 7.

Box Hill, in hot pursuit of Albion Rovers, completely annihilated Western Suburbs at Schintler Reserve on Saturday.

Western Suburbs opened brightly enough on a surprisingly firm pitch and had two good opportunities in the first five minutes, once when **Graham Morgan** missed a cross and once with a run by **Theocarides** that should have produced a goal.

Box Hill settled down and **Serge Berardini** and **Ray Taylor** showed that they would cause some problems.

Mitanides in the Wests goal made three good saves in quick succession from **Berardini** and **Taylor** twice, and a score seemed inevitable.

When it came it was a peach.

Taylor took a ball from Berardini in his stride and drove it powerfully past Mitanides.

Four minutes later a cross from McLeod floated inside the far post with Mitanides distracted by the oncoming **Cubido** and Western Suburbs began to lower their heads.

All semblence of teamwork seemed to disappear from Wests' game and players seemed intent on going for solo dribbles.

Box Hill banged another nail in the coffin when Berrardini's perfect cross was nodded home by **Tuffield**, four minutes before the break.

Western Suburbs were not only playing badly, their luck was out too.

Yiannakos burst clear into the penalty area and was about to shoot as **John Brown** challenged. The ball was deflected off **Brown** and over **Morgan's** head, only to hit the post and rebound into the grateful Morgan's arms.

With the half time score at 3-0, it seemed a cricket score was on the cards, and Box Hill seemed to think too, for on resumption it seemed to be a different game.

Western Suburbs midfielders got a grip and took over, and it was no surprise when **Bourdakas** reduced the arrears when Morgan dropped the ball following a corner.

Box Hill strove to get back into the game, but Wests could have made matters interesting had they succeeded in their demands for a penalty when Morgan pulled down **Efthimiou.**

But it was not to be and Box Hill came back into contention with **Taylor** forcing another good save from **Mitanides** before he coolly dribbled round **Karapanagiotides** and **Mitanides** to notch Box Hill's fourth in the 91st minute.

Newcomer Ken Hall had an outstanding game at left back for Box Hill and he guaranteed Box Hill complete domination of the left side of the park.

For Western Suburbs, **Mitanides,** a rapidly improving young keeper, again played very well and **Jim O'Hanlon** tried hard, but all-round team work is conspicious by its absence.

First Division

CROYDON 0 AUSTRIA 0

Croydon and Kellor Austria fought out a rugged scoreless draw in the heavy going at Croydon Park.

Heavy conditions suited both defences and Croydon's **Mike Kupinic, Dick Ward, Mike Sinclair** and **Tommy Kelly** gave keeper **Mike Edwards** plenty of cover and on only two occasions did Kellor look dangerous near goal.

Early in the second half a cross from the Kellor right wing brought **Mike Edwards** to a full length dive to push the ball clear of two advancing forwards.

Later a Kellor forward broke clear and quickly moved goalward but with **Mike Edwards** starting to advance off his line, a desperate **Dick Ward** hooked the ball away.

The Kellor players appealed to the referee for a penalty but he waved play on.

At the other end the situation was much the same with Croydon's best chance coming when **Tony Alsop** headed down a cross from the left to **Mike Lynn** but his shot hit the post.

Among Croydon's best players were **Mike Sinclair, Jim Wylie, Charlie Kelly** and **Dick Ward.**

Prahran's two Canadian forwards Brian Gomez (left) and Graham Hollingsworth, who both scored in Saturday's 2-0 win over Park Rangers.

Dandenong may be a danger

With Albion Rovers idle last week and Box Hill winning well at Western Suburbs, the gap at the top of Division One has narrowed to two points and makes the clash between Croydon and Box Hill on Sunday a vital one.

Dandenong, with two games in hand, should increase the pressure by defeating Kellor-Austria and the leaders should win against lowly Melbourne.

Forecast. Saturday: Western Suburbs v Waverley (draw), ARDEER v St Albans, KEILOR CITY v Springvale C. Sunday: DANDENONG C v Kellor-Austria, Croydon C v Box Hill (draw), ALBION ROVERS v Melbourne.

In Second Division the promotion race is obscure with the top seven clubs separated by only five points, and with three clubs having a game in hand.

Doveton squeaked home narrowly against lowly Hellas, but Brighton, despite acquiring Damien Murphy from George Cross, crashed on a muddy pitch to Collingwood, which takes over second place.

Brighton has had to play three games in succession away from home and lost all three, and is away again this week, but will play five out of its last seven at home, which might be a decisive factor in the run home.

Forecast: South Melbourne v MORELAND, BELL PARK v Moorooibark, RICHMOND v Footscray-JUST, Ferntree Gully v BRIGHTON, COLLINGWOOD C v Eltham, DOVETON v Fitzroy-Alexander.

In Third Division Chelsea unexpectedly dropped a home point to improving Heidelberg which has acquired Hugh Humphries from Polonia.

This, coupled with Knox City's big win against Moorabbin, puts Knox back on top this week, and so the seesaw continues.

Forecast: Yallourn v Heidelberg (draw), CHELSEA v Prahran, Park Rangers v COBURG, PORT MELBOURNE v Moorabbin, KNOX CITY v Ringwood U, Essendon C v BROADMEADOWS.

In Fourth Division, Doncaster Rovers lost their 100% record, dropping a point to Rosebud, and Sandringham suffered a shock home defeat by Caulfield.

Morwell Falcons won their seventh game and are now right on Sandringham's heels.

Forecast: Ballarat v CAULFIELD, SANDRINGHAM v Rosebud, Doncaster R v Morwell Falcons (draw), Mornington v MONASH UNI, CLAYTON v Uni of Melb and SOUTH YARRA v Corio.

Hans Hinze's mixed luck

By RON DARLINGTON

The Victorian Industrial League programme was again spoiled by the weather with over 25% of matches postponed.

Pegasus consolidated their position at the top of Division One by defeating their closest rival McColl Dynamo 'A', Kodak United and Aquila Steel both had their first win of the season.

Holt of R.A.A.F. Point Cook and **Cane Trajkovski** of James Miller found the conditions to their liking and scored five goals apiece, this being the second week in succession that **Trajkovski** has scored five.

The Pegasus and McColl Dynamo 'A' match had everything except goals. As expected there was little to choose between the teams, the only goal coming midway through the second half when Pegasus were awarded a free kick just outside the area. **Ivan Smrcek's** well placed kick curled into the top corner of the net for a goal which proved to be the winner.

The irony of this was that **Smrcek** recently transferred to Pegasus from McColl.

Kodak United downed Tarax 3-2 to gain their first points of the season. **Duncan Carmichael** opened the scoring for Kodak with a spectacular header and after the interval they went 2-0 up before an injury caused them to reshuffle their defence.

Tarax took full advantage of this and pulled back to 2-all before **Joseph Lecky** was brought down in the area and **Tommy Harbottle** scored the winner from the spot.

Repco Richmond carried on where they left off last week and came from 1-0 down to lead 2-1 after the break against Ford Falcons.

The Falcons drew level again at 2-2 and it took a long range shot from **Vlado Dolevski** to settle the matter in th Falcons favour.

The Bowater Scott v RACV match was postponed but it was goals galore when Melbourne Meats met W.D. & H.O. Wills — 5 apiece to be exact — and what an extraordinary match it was.

Hans Hinze had rather mixed fortunes, scoring 3 goals, 2 for and 1 against.

Wills led 3-1 at half time and 5 minutes after the resumption found themselves down 4-3 but they had the better of the scoring after this, making it twice to the Meatmen's once.

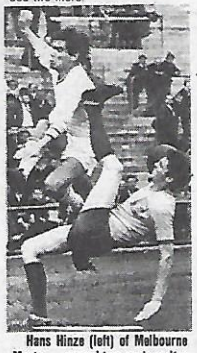
Bosch, after slipping to second position in Division 2 on goal average last week, now find themselves in third place after losing to Public Works 'A' 1-3.

As a point of interest, it is 18 matches since the Workers lost a League match and with the average age of the team only 21, the prospects for the future look quite bright.

Andre Lavale caused Bosch most problems by scoring a hat-trick but he was ably assisted by **Steve Watkins** who had a fine game on the left wing.

Mario Calleja scored four of Fibre Containers 5 goals in their win over Leyland. After an even first half Fibre Containers were perhaps fortunate to be leading 2-1 but Leyland carried the attack to them in the second half to draw level first at 2-all and then 3-all.

This effort proved to be too much for Leyland who then started to fall away as Fibre Containers added two more.



Hans Hinze (left) of Melbourne Meats — scored two goals and an own goal.

Scot for Doveton

Ambitious Victorian Second Division club Doveton last week imported Tom Spalding, 23, a talented defender from Scotland.

Spalding, 6ft 2ins and 12 st, played junior soccer in Glasgow for Ashfield and St Roch and had trials for Clyde.

Apart from soccer, he also makes money as a professional singer-guitarist.

At Doveton, Spalding joins another Scottish import, **Gordon Coutts** from Arthurlie who is currently out with a fractured rib.

The reserves played the early game on Town Park and continued their good form with a convincing 4-1 win over the Kellor reserves.

The highlight of the game was the brilliant penalty save by Croydon keeper **Terry Huddleston.** Best for Croydon were **Geoff Gerrish, Dave Davidson,** and **Steve Hibbit.**

On Sunday Croydon is at home to local rival Box Hill. Last week's game against Dandenong, which was washed out at half time with Croydon leading 1-0, will be replayed later in the season.

SPRINGVALE 3 ST. ALBANS 0

Springvale took an early grip on the game, using the wings well to create openings.

After 20 minutes a corner was pushed out by the St. Albans keeper, and **Hugh Campbell** scored with a low drive.

Springvale relaxed after this goal and allowed St. Albans back into the game for a short period. However, towards half time **Mick Frost** and **Jackie Gollan** regained control of the midfield.

When play resumed Springvale played some of their best soccer, creating several opportunities. These came to nothing until a cross from **Bob Brickley** was well controlled by **'Dixie' Dean** who placed it past the keeper from close in.

Springvale's supremacy in this half was highlighted by some fine runs by **Norm Edgar** from right back and a great save late in the game from keeper **'Pussy' Mur.**

The final goal came from a hard left foot drive by **Bob Brickley** who popped up in the inside right position.

Second Division

COLLINGWOOD CITY 5 Brighton 2

Scorers for Collingwood: Feretis 10 and 15 min. (penalty), J. Sahinidis 30 min, J. Kikiris 37 min, J. Sahinidis 73 min.

Collingwood: A. Sgouras, N. Vasiloglannatopoulos, A. Koutrovelis, J. Peppos, P. Tsiapos, B. Tyrikos, R. Kelly, J. Sahinidis, A. Feretis, S. Kaknis, J. Kikiris (subs), C. Nicolaidis, D. Gamurelis.

Brighton: J. Bryden, W. Fulson, R. Parry, P. McDonald, D. Gapper, E. Carrigan, D. Murphy, A. Shedden, W. Chadwick, P. Avent, D. Harrison (subs) P. Mercoulia, R. Cox, M. McCaig.

After 10 minutes Jim Sahinidis passed two defenders, then chipped it over the Angelo Feretis who finished it off.

Five minutes later Angelo Feretis was brought down in the penalty area, and was awarded a penalty. Sahinidis, 5 minutes later, dribbled the whole defence and the goalkeeper and put it into the back of the net.

From an indirect free kick Steve Kaknis found the head of Jim Kikiris who put it past the Brighton keeper.

In the second half Brighton scored after a defensive mistake by Collingwood. At the 73 minute mark Jim Sahinidis, went through the defence again Rory Kelly.

Collingwood's new recruit from New Zealand, missed many chances through bad luck, but had a great game overall.

Best players for Collingwood were Jim Sahinidis who flopped Brighton's defence apart, Rory Kelly, who also had a good game, and Peter Tsiapos, the keeper.

Referee Jim Brennan did a great job but had no troubles as it was a quiet game with very few incidents.

FITZROY ALEX 1 ELTHAM 1

Scorers J. Amanatidis (Fitzroy 53 min), T. Watson (Eltham 57 min).

Alexander: Hourmouzis, Genakas, Stavridis, Yankos, Nigklis, Meletos, Kouloukas, Kyriakidis, Amantadisi, Pavlidis, Patkas.

Eltham: L. Finlay, A. Raynes, L. Gooney, T. Ecimovic, G. Kirkwood, D. Spaniak, J. Cochran, R. Curcija, T. Watson (R. Kristic), F. Vivarini, G. McIntosh.

Eltham and Fitzroy Alexander battled through boggy conditions to settle for a point each in a 1-1 draw at the Fitzroy Cricket Ground.

Eltham were a little fortunate not to have conceded more goals through slack marking which left Lyndon Finlay to save the day time and time again in the Eltham goal.

In the first few minutes two Fitzroy forwards broke through an offside trap but were foiled by a desperate clearance on the goal line by Alan Raynes.

After this Eltham settled down and attacked down the right wing, where Rajko Curcija was troubling the Fitzroy defence with solo runs.

However he failed to find the net with several attempts and a couple of well flighted crosses.

His body swerves were leaving his opponents stranded in the mud and three defenders were often committed to stop him.

Fitzroy concentrated their attacks through the middle and were often given a yard or two start by the Eltham defence.

Just before half time Fitzroy found the net but the referee disallowed the goal because of offside.

The performance was repeated again after the interval, when a good through ball to Amanatidis was cracked home to give Fitzroy the first goal.

Four minutes later Tony "The Wizard" Watson put Eltham back into the game by heading a free kick into the net with his back towards the goal.

Each side fought hard for a winning goal and Eltham played recklessly by giving the Fitzroy attackers too much free space while they concentrated on attack at the expense of defence.

Fitzroy failed to take advantage of the situation mainly through the brilliance of the Eltham keeper.

Rajko Curcija was the most dangerous Eltham attacker but his failure to get his shots in early enough reduced his effectiveness.

Victorian Metro League with LES SHORROCK

Third Division

PARK RANGERS 0 PRAHRAN CITY 2

Scorers Graham Hollingsworth (15) Brian Gomez (60).

Rangers: P. Vasliou, D. Semini, A. McCormack, D. Scott, J. Clemle, B. Hume, L. Tierney, P. Tierney, D. Newton, W. Ashton, R. Hill. Sub H. Murney.

Prahran: D. Gillespie, D. Breslin, D. Holmes, B. Glenn, Z. Lazaravic, R. Brown, J. Graham, B. Gomez, P. McElhinney, G. Hollingsworth, D. De Cerff, subs C. Richardson, J. Kobe.

Rangers looked like scoring first after 10 mins but Billy Ashton shot over the bar from six yards.

Prahran replied with a 20-yard shot from Graham Hollingsworth that made it 1-0 after 15 minutes.

Hugh Murney, former Western Suburbs coach, came on at half time to try to stem the Prahran attack.

Prahran went further ahead when De Cerff beat three players to cut the ball back for Brian Gomez to score.

Final score: Rangers 0 City 2.

Prahran reserves retained their unbeaten record with a 3-0 win. Scorers: L. Gaal (2), P. Richardson.

CHELSEA 1 H'BERG 1

Scorers Chelsea 44 min Johnstone, H'berg 55 min D. Jones penalty (hand ball).

Chelsea: Young, Donlan, Haual, Ryff, Finlay, Johnstone, Wheeler, Hayat, Taylor, Rees, Irvine, (Harland, Hendry).

Heidelberg: P. Micallef, K. Fox, B. Barker, G. Glennie, J. Myles, A. Cameron, G. Reed, P. Partington, M. McQuillken, D. Jones, C. Hopes, (H. Humphreys P. Watson).

Chelsea were lucky to hold Heidelberg to a 1-1 draw at home and looks shaky at the top of the league.

Heidelberg after the game should go on and cause quite a few problems during the rest of the season.

Heidelberg best: McQuillken, Fox, Jones.

Chelsea: Wheeler, Donlan.

KNOX CITY 5 MOORABBIN ¼

Scorers Moorabbin 15 mins. Knox 20 mins S. Atkins (penalty) 60 mins., P. Flynn 65 mins., Johnny Howarth 75 mins, M. Weston.

Knox: L. De Mahn, B. Wanness, D. Shackleford, J. Bedford, C. Milne, P. Flynn, L. Flood, J. Howarth, C. Waller, S. Atkins, M. Weston.

Moorabbin were first to score against the run of play when a ball rolled loose in the Knox penalty area from a long throw-in and a Moorabbin forward had only to push it over the line.

Knox replied when Steve Atkins scored from the spot after Johnny Howarth was badly obstructed when he looked all set to score.

Peter Flynn put Knox ahead 15 mins into the second half when he received a ball from Lou Flood and looked all set to centre, but picked his spot and scored.

Five minutes later Johnny Howarth, a strong player all day, put in No 3 when he outjumped the Moorabbin defence and headed in from a Lou Flood corner.

Johnny Howarth was through with only the keeper to beat when he was brought down in the penalty area, but the penalty was put over the bar.

Steve Atkins slipped a perfect pass through to Col Waller who controlled it well and put a cracker into the bottom right corner to make it 4-1.

The fifth goal was another good shot, hit by Mark Weston from outside the penalty area.

Credit must go to Moorabbin's keeper who saved them from a much larger deficit.

Provisional League

SOUTH DANDENONG 0 FAWKNER 3

Scorers: Caruso (5 mins), Schipano (16 mins) Vecchiatto (penalty 75 min).

Sth Dandenong: L. Roussety, R. Rampal, C. Guillemin, L. Kentepozidis, J. Borg, J. D'Argent, J. Rampal, K. Fauvrelle, S. Roussety, Z. Hartman, G. Savannah.

Fawkner: R. Sorani, J. Frolla, G. Guglielmi, J. Rossetto, R. Vecchiatto, S. Caruso, S. Bazzano, C. Sabidussi, A. Schipano, D. Epifano, M. Cosmano.

Fawkner, aided by a strong wind in the first half, took an early lead when Caruso ran onto a through ball and coolly placed it past the advancing keeper.

Fawkner continued to dominate play for the rest of the half with a well balanced team effort. Schipano crashed home a 20 metre drive to make it 2-0.

South Dandenong made a spirited comeback in the second half and were unlucky not to score, but Fawkner goalie Sorani proved very safe under pressure.

Later in the game Bazzano was fouled in the penalty area and Vecchiatto converted the resulting spot kick.

Best for Fawkner Rosseto, Sabadussi, Sorani, Vecchiatto.

SUNBURY UTD 3 CARLTON 2

Scorers Sunbury: Blackley (39), Reid (42), Webb (84). Carlton: Stojilovic (75) Veljovic (86).

Sunbury: G. Weilgosz, P. Hill, I. Gray, J. Munro, M. Clarke, A. Turner, R. Collins, I. Reid, R. Saxton, B. Webb, A. Blackley, A. Jones, J. Rankin, M. Bradshaw, G. Hopkins.

Carlton: P. Seles, M. Okovic, V. Ceranic, B. Djordjevic, Z. Stojnic, P. Knic, M. Bjelogrlic, M. Stojilovic, M. Velickovic, R. Dodig, J. Sananovic.

Sunbury quickly took control in the very greasy conditions but even though many chances were created they failed to convert the opportunities.

Finally Blackley broke the deadlock when he latched onto a through ball from a Munro free kick and fired into the roof of the net.

Shortly afterwards a corner from Collins bounced on the bar and fooled everyone except Reid who merely leaned forward to head Sunbury's second.

In the second half play tended to bog down in the middle of the pitch with both sides failing to put their game together.

Finally Bjelogrlic picked up a misdirected pass and his race for goal was finally ended in the penalty box when he was fouled by Clarke.

Stojilovic placed the spot kick well out of the reach of Wielgosz.

In the last 10 minutes the game really opened on and Sunbury notched their third when Collins made a defence-splitting pass for Webb to pop the ball into the net.

Shortly afterwards Veljovic scored Carlton's second when his cross from the left was caught by the wind and went into the net with Wielgosz out of his goal, positioned for the cross.

South Korea downs Hong Kong

HONG KONG — South Korea opened its World Cup campaign with a lucky 1-0 win over Hong Kong here.

The defeat through an own goal virtually spelt an end for the Colony's long and expensive struggle to get into the finals in Argentina next year.

The South Koreans were sluggish and never looked like the team which beat Israel and Japan.

They were on the defensive for most of the time, but only the own goal by Hong Kong's Kwok Ka Ming gave them the two points.

Gladstone may be in trouble

By Stan Gyles

Gladstone Park's future in the District League is in the melting pot after its supporters ran amok after the team's 2-3 loss to South Oakleigh.

Although there was no real trouble during the game, when the final whistle blew the Turkish spectators intimidated the South Oakleigh team and officials.

South Oakleigh coach **Reg Masset** was threatened and along with the referee and other team officials sought refuge in the changing rooms.

Royal Park and Mordialloc broke away at the top of Division One after the Park had thrashed Hampton 10-1 and Mordialloc salvaged a 1-1 draw against Regent.

Mordialloc were first to score in an exciting game, just 5 minutes from full time through a goal from **Papazoglou** and 2 minutes later Regent got the equaliser.

In the last seconds **Alatsas** hit the crossbar for Mordialloc who were desperate to secure the two points.

A pat on the back is in order for referee **Jim Dixon** who gave an excellent display.

Ergmini scored a hat-trick for Nunawading in their 3-2 win over Sandown. By co-incidence he played for Sandown last year and the centre forward from Milan has certainly proved a winner for Nunawading this year.

Good to see Nunawading's 42-year-old president Tony Arciano filling in again in the 1st Division.

Yarraville join Boronia at the top of Division Two after a 1-0 win over Mitcham. Boronia now have a game in hand as their match was postponed due to a water-logged pitch.

Boronia's supporters took the opportunity to spy on Yarraville's form and had to wait until the last 5 minutes until they saw a goal.

From a corner Lambets topped off a good match with a header that scored.

Thornbury dropped a point at home against Stradbroke 1-1 and Clifton join them at the top of Division Three after beating Ascot 3-0.

George Linaros scored two goals including a penalty in Berwick's 2-1 win over Noble Park.

The two top sides in Division 4, RMIT and Carlton, both had draws and now only 3 points separate the top 5 sides.

RMIT have been invited to the inaugural Australian inter-tertiary college soccer tournament to be held in Adelaide for a week from July 4.

Armstrong Cup games

The 1st round of the Harry Armstrong (Reserve) Cup will be played at the weekend as follows:

Saturday: Gladstone Park v Essendon Lions 2.45 pm, Melbourne v Nunawading City 2.45 pm (Nunawading C v Werribee reserve game postponed), Park Rangers v Dandenong City 1.00 pm, (Park Rangers v Coburg reserve game postponed).

Sunday: all 2.45 pm, Rosebud v Polonia, University of Melbourne v Mornington, Western Suburbs v Thomastown, Bell Park v Croxton, (Noble Park v Croxton Reserve game postponed), Royal Park v Kellor City, (Sandown v Royal Park Reserve game postponed), Hamlyn Rangers v George Cross, (Essendon Lions v George Cross Reserve game postponed), Carlton v Slavia, (Slavia v Sunshine Reserve game postponed), Hotham Utd. v Hawthorn, St Albans v South Yarra, Yallourn v Coburg, Sunbury v Doncaster Rovers, Western Suburbs v Caulfield City, Juventus v Richmond, East Brunswick v Central Altona, Fitzroy Alexander v Collingwood City, Kensington Utd. v Essendon City, (Hawksburn v Kensington Reserve game postponed), Sandringham v Frankston Pines, Ballarat v Altona, (Altona City v Preston Reserve game postponed).

The following clubs have 'byes' in this round: Ferntree Gully, Ringwood Utd, Moreland, Boronia, Footscray JUST, Hawksburn, Moorooibark Utd, Box Hill, Fawkner, Burnley, Doveton, Morwell Falcons, Kellor-Austria, Preston-Makedonia, Albion Rovers, Crescent Utd, Williamstown, Croydon City, RMIT, Melton, Werribee, Langwarrin, South Dandenong, Clayton, Parkan City, Knox City, Heidelberg, Hakoah, Springvale City, Port Melbourne, Keysborough, Geelong, South Melbourne Hellas, Broadmeadows City, Ringwood City, Sunshine City, Monbulk, Sandown, Clifton Hill, Frankston City, Green Gully, Waverley City, Carnegie.

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JUNIOR STANDINGS

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DANDENONG REGION WEEKEND 18

UNDER 9 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Knox	6	1	1	16	2	13
Waverley 'A'	5	3	0	20	6	13
Box Hill 'A'	5	2	0	10	4	12
Moorool 'A'	4	2	1	15	3	10
Ring Utd 'A'	3	1	4	4	6	7
Croydon 'A'	3	1	4	7	10	7
Ring Cy 'A'	1	4	3	5	15	6
Donc 'A'	0	4	4	1	12	4
Nuna Cy 'A'	2	0	6	8	12	4
F.T. Gully	0	2	6	2	18	2

UNDER 9 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Donc 'B'	9	0	0	35	0	18
Moorool 'B'	7	0	1	32	4	14
Monbulk	5	0	4	9	5	10
Box Hill 'B'	4	1	3	17	10	9
Croydon 'B'	4	1	2	11	8	9
Nuna Cy 'B'	3	2	3	14	8	8
Waverley 'B'	2	1	4	3	10	5
Ring Cy 'B'	2	0	6	4	27	4
Mulgrave 'B'	1	1	7	1	29	3
Ring Utd 'B'	0	2	7	0	27	2

UNDER 10 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Donc 'A'	6	2	0	15	1	14
Croydon 'A'	5	1	1	20	3	11
Waverley	4	2	2	14	5	10
Nuna Cy 'A'	3	2	2	12	10	8
Moorool 'A'	2	3	3	4	5	7
Ring Utd	3	1	3	4	5	7
Ring Cy 'A'	1	3	3	5	12	5
Mitcham	2	0	6	9	24	4
Mulgrave 'A'	0	2	6	3	22	2

UNDER 10 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Boronia	8	0	0	36	1	16
Nuna Cy 'B'	6	2	0	31	2	14
Donc 'B'	5	1	3	23	5	11
Knox Cy	4	2	1	15	8	10
F.T. Gully	5	0	2	10	12	10
Moorool 'B'	2	1	4	12	15	5
Box Hill 'B'	1	2	5	6	28	4
Croydon 'B'	1	2	5	3	20	4
Ring Cy 'B'	1	0	6	6	32	2
Healesville	0	2	7	2	20	2

UNDER 11 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Nuna Cy 'A'	5	2	1	16	5	12
Moorool 'A'	5	1	0	17	10	11
Knox Cy 'A'	3	3	0	10	6	9
Ring Cy 'A'	3	2	2	11	5	8
Waverley 'A'	4	0	2	17	10	8
Croydon 'A'	2	0	5	7	16	4
Box Hill 'A'	1	2	5	13	19	4
F.T. Gully	1	1	4	7	21	3
Donc 'A'	1	1	6	3	19	3

UNDER 11 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Knox 'B'	7	1	0	24	1	15
Moorool 'B'	6	1	0	24	5	13
Nuna Cy 'B'	4	3	0	12	3	11
Donc 'B'	4	1	3	18	12	9
Ring Utd	4	1	3	16	16	9
Ring Cy 'B'	4	0	3	15	10	8
Box Hill 'B'	2	1	5	9	13	5
Boronia	2	1	5	7	23	5
Waverley 'B'	0	1	6	3	18	1
Croydon 'B'	0	0	8	1	30	0

UNDER 12 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Knox 'A'	7	1	0	22	5	15
Doveton	6	1	1	32	6	13
Donc 'A'	6	1	1	12	4	13
Croydon	4	0	4	10	11	8
Ring Utd	4	0	4	11	14	8
Box Hill 'A'	2	3	3	13	14	7
F.T. Gully	3	1	4	21	23	7
Nuna Cy 'A'	3	0	6	6	29	6
Waverley 'A'	2	1	6	5	18	5
Clarinda	0	0	8	1	8	0

UNDER 12 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Mooroolbark	8	1	0	39	3	17
Lyndale	6	1	1	16	7	13
Clayton 'A'	6	0	2	46	9	12
Mitcham	5	2	2	23	8	12
Box Hill 'B'	5	2	2	23	8	12
Nuna Cy 'B'	2	2	4	18	20	6
Ring Cy	2	2	5	10	32	6
Boronia	1	1	6	6	23	3
Waverley 'B'	1	1	6	2	25	3
Sth. Dandy	0	1	8	6	50	1

UNDER 12 'C'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Clarinda	8	0	0	46	2	16
Mulgrave	6	0	2	35	4	12
Donc 'B'	6	0	1	23	6	12
Healesville	3	1	4	10	17	7
Clayton 'B'	2	2	4	9	27	6
Knox 'B'	2	1	4	10	16	5
Caulfield 'B'	2	1	3	9	18	5
Monbulk	1	1	5	4	24	3
Dingley	0	0	7	1	33	0

UNDER 13 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Waverley	6	0	0	19	4	12
Moorool 'A'	5	0	1	27	10	10
Doncaster	4	0	2	29	6	8
Knox	3	1	2	16	10	7
Box Hill	3	0	3	13	15	6
FT Gully	0	1	4	4	26	1
Croydon	0	0	4	3	23	0
Nuna Cy	0	0	5	1	18	0

UNDER 13 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Moorool 'B'	6	1	0	32	8	13
Ring City	5	0	2	25	15	10
Mulgrave	5	0	2	23	17	10
Caulfield	4	1	2	34	15	9
Clayton	4	0	3	18	15	8
Boronia	1	1	5	10	41	3
Salesian	1	1	5	10	25	1
Melbourne 'B'	0	0	7	7	23	0

PENINSULA

UNDER 9 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
F. Pines	7	1	0	14	2	15
Beaumaris 'A'	5	2	1	12	4	12
Peninsula	4	4	0	9	4	12
Karingal	4	1	3	8	6	9
Cranbourne	3	3	2	5	4	9
Mornington	2	1	5	7	7	5
Overport	2	1	5	7	11	5
Seaford 'A'	1	3	4	7	12	5
Hastings	0	0	8	1	20	0

UNDER 9 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Springvale	8	0	1	26	6	16
Brighton	7	1	1	45	6	15
Caulfield	6	2	0	39	3	14
Clayton	6	1	2	37	9	13
Doveton	4	0	5	8	11	8
Beaumaris 'B'	2	2	5	6	24	6
Seaford 'B'	2	2	5	4	27	6
Chelsea	1	3	5	3	23	5
Dingley	1	3	4	8	24	3
Sth. Dandy	0	0	9	1	44	0

UNDER 10 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Clayton 'A'	9	0	0	48	4	18
Peninsula	5	2	2	18	14	12
Brighton	4	2	3	15	11	10
Karingal	4	1	4	11	11	9
Beaumaris	3	3	3	16	19	9
Doveton	3	2	3	19	15	8
Overport	2	4	3	14	22	8
Seaford	2	4	3	12	20	8
F. Pines	1	2	5	3	15	4
Cranbourne	0	2	7	1	26	2

UNDER 10 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Springvale	7	1	1	13	1	15
Rosebud	6	2	1	23	2	14
Mornington	6	1	2	22	3	13
Dandy City	4	2	2	14	4	10
Sandringham	2	5	0	11	4	9
Berwick	4	1	4	13	13	9
Chelsea	3	2	4	11	14	8
Lyndale	2	2	5	7	17	6
Karingal 'B'	0	0	8	1	24	0
F. Pines 'B'	0	0	7	0	33	0

UNDER 11 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Seaford	7	1	1	32	4	15
Doveton	7	1	1	26	5	15
Peninsula	5	2	1	19	15	12
Springvale	4	1	4	28	20	9
Karingal	4	1	4	8	10	9
Mornington	3	2	4	7	14	8
Beaumaris	3	0	6	15	20	6
Dandy Cy 'A'	2	2	4	3	17	6
Overport	2	0	6	6	24	4
Doncaster 'C'	1	0	7	0	16	2

UNDER 11 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
F. Pines	7	2	0	66	6	16
Caulfield	7	2	0	49	8	16
Brighton	6	2	1	64	11	14
Hampton	6	1	2	29	7	13
Mulgrave	4	1	4	31	20	9
Cranbourne	4	0	5	21	21	8
Karingal 'B'	3	0	6	8	35	6
Rosebud	2	0	7	3	35	4
Dandy Cy 'B'	2	0	7	0	57	4
Moorabbin	0	0	9	0	71	0

UNDER 12 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Springvale 'A'	7	1	1	38	8	15
F. Pines	7	1	0	38	9	15
Karingal	7	1	1	32	12	15
Overport	5	0	4	25	19	10
Seaford	4	1	4	18	20	9
Brighton	4	0	5	21	19	8
Caulfield 'A'	2	2	5	16	17	6
Cranbourne	1	2	5	7	15	4
Dandy Cy	2	0	7	6	21	4
Peninsula	1	0	8	0	61	2

UNDER 12 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Beaumaris	6	1	1	30	7	13
Nth Dandy	5	2	0	15	3	12
Rosebud	6	0	2	10	7	12
Mornington	5	0	3	25	10	10
Mordialloc	4	1	3	25	12	9
Springvale 'B'	2	2	4	11	12	6
Berwick	1	3	4	6	7	5
Chelsea	1	1	6	8	19	3
Hastings	0	0	7	1	53	0

UNDER 13 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Overport	5	1	0	22	10	11
Doveton	2	2	1	10	7	6
Seaford	1	3	1	9	8	5
Dandy Cy	2	0	2	8	8	4
Peninsula	1	2	2	12	14	4
Springvale	1	1	3	11	13	3
Brighton	1	1	4	10	22	3

UNDER 13 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Chelsea	7	0	0	44	2	14
Karingal	6	0	1	17	5	12
Hampton	4	1	2	9	10	9
Keysborough	3	1	3	14	13	7
Beaumaris	3	0	4	10	10	6
Cranbourne	3	0	4	8	20	6
Mornington	1	0	6	7	21	2
Sandringham	0	0	7	3	30	0

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UNDER 9

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Albion	7	2	0	24	2	16
Sun. Hts.	7	0	1	31	3	14
Green Gully	6	1	1	30	3	13
Altona	4	1	4	5	14	9
Sun Cy	3	1	3	5	12	7
Melton 'A'	2	3	4	5	14	7
Mossfiel	3	1	5	5	17	7
Ardeer	1	3	3	4	8	5
Werribee	1	2	5	1	21	4
Essendon 'B'	0	0	8	1	17	0

UNDER 10 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Albion	6	0	1	19	5	12
Sun. Hts.	5	1	1	19	4	11
Melton	5	1	1	7	4	11
West Utd 'A'	4	1	2	13	6	9
Essendon	3	2	2	11	8	8
Sun Cy	2	0	5	8	12	4
Ardeer	1	2	4	3	13	4
Green Gully	1	1	5	4	15	3
Werribee	1	0	7	5	22	2

UNDER 10 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Keilor	7	0	0	16	0	14
West Newport	3	3	1	10	7	9
West Utd 'B'	4	0	3	17	9	8
Juventus 'A'	3	1	2	11	2	7
Altona	3	1	2	10	11	7
Sunbury	1	1	4	3	16	3
Fawkner 'B'	1	1	5	1	15	3
Juventus 'B'	0	1	5	1	10	1

UNDER 11

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Albion	9	0	0	55	3	18
Melton	6	1	2	18	10	13
Sun. Hts.	5	0	3	17	14	10
Green Gully	5	0	2	7	9	10
West Newport	3	3	3	13	12	9
Sun. Cy.	2	2	4	12	11	6
Keilor Cy	2	2	4	11	22	6
Keilor	2	1	6	10	19	5
Altona 'A'	2	1	4	7	17	5
Werribee	0	0	8	2	35	0

UNDER 12 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Altona 'A'	6	0	1	18	8	12
Geelong	5	1	1	19	6	11
Sun. Cy.	5	1	1	27	10	11
Sun. Hts 'A'	3	1	2	18	5	7
Sunbury	2	2	2	7	4	6
West Subs	2	1	4	5	22	5
Melton	0	0	6	5	24	0
Keilor 'A'	0	0	6	2	23	0

UNDER 12 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Essendon Cy	7	0	0	26	1	14
Green Gully	4	1	1	6	4	9
Sun Hts 'B'	3	0	3	13	10	6
Mossfiel	2	2	2	9	7	6
Kens Utd	3	0	4	4	14	6
Keilor 'B'	2	1	4	4	6	5
Albion	2	0	4	3	8	4
Altona 'B'	1	0	6	2	17	2

UNDER 13 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Footscray	6	2	0	15	1	14
Altona 'A'	5	2	0	26	4	12
Sun Cy*	6	0	2	25	9	12
Green Gully	3	3	1	14	6	9
Werribee 'A'	3	2	3	8	19	8
Essendon	2	2	4	11	17	6
St. Albans	2	0	6	8	20	4
Melton 'A'	2	0	6	6	23	4
Keilor City	0	1	7	3	17	1

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UNDER 13 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Albion	6	1	0	30	9	13
Sun. Hts	6	0	1	16	7	12
Hotham	4	1	2	20	13	9
Keilor	3	1	2	26	10	7
Ardeer	2	1	3	8	12	5
Altona 'B'	2	0	5	9	21	4
Melton 'B'	1	0	5	9	28	2
Werribee 'B'	0	0	6	3	22	0

UNDER 9 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Melbourne	7	1	0	26	2	15
Nuna Cy 'A'	7	0	0	30	2	14
Mitcham	6	1	2	24	3	13
Rosanna 'A'	6	0	3	25	9	12
Mulgrave 'A'	4	1	2	7	5	9
Boronia	3	0	5	4	11	6
Greensborough	3	0	5	7	19	6
Eltham	2	1	5	12	25	5
Diamond Ck	1	0	8	2	39	2
Collingwood 'A'	0	0	9	2	24	0

UNDER 9 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Essendon 'A'	7	1	0	45	3	15
Watsonia	6	2	0	16	1	14
Meadow Pk 'A'	6	0	1	24	6	11
Collingwood 'B'	5	0	4	17	11	10
Keilor	4	0	4	10	8	8
Bundoora	4	0	4	17	14	8
Rosanna 'B'	2	0	6	4	31	4
Melton 'B'	1	2	6	2	20	4
Meadow Pk 'B'	1	1	4	1	22	3
Sunbury	0	0	7	1	21	0

UNDER 10

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Meadow Pk	7	1	0	36	5	15
Greensboro	6	2	1	23	7	14
Fawkner 'A'	5	1	2	18	6	11
Moreland	4	3	2	13	11	11
Rosanna	5	1	3	11	9	11
Eltham	2	2	4	13	17	6
Brd Meadows	1	3	4	10	15	5
Melbourne	1	3	5	5	16	5
Coburg	1	2	5	5	17	4
Diamond Ck	1	0	7	1	32	2

UNDER 11 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Moreland 'A'	7	0	1	37	5	14
Essendon	5	1	2	25	11	11
Juventus	3	3	1	10	8	9
Meadow Pk	4	1	2	10	9	9
Sth Melb.	3	2	3	34	19	8
Rosanna	2	3	3	21	10	7
Fawkner	3	1	3	8	8	7
Greensboro	1	1	6	14	23	3
Eltham	0	0	7	1	57	0

UNDER 11 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Fitzroy	8	0	0	39	2	16
Sunbury	7	1	1	20	7	15
Thomastown	3	1	2	14	14	10
Altona 'B'	4	2	2	10	11	10
Richmond	4	1	4	9	14	9
Watsonia	3	3	2	7	13	9
Moreland 'B'	2	2	5	5	16	6
Boronia	1	2	5	6	15	4
BD/Meadows	1	1	6	2	13	3
Green Gully 'B'	1	0	7	2	5	2

UNDER 12 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Port Melb.	7	1	0	39	9	15
Moreland	5	2	1	13	9	12
Sth. Melb. 'A'	4	1	2	18	9	9
Greensboro	4	0	4	10	12	8
Rosanna	4	0	3	14	16	8
Fawkner	3	2	3	8	17	8
Thomastown	2	1	4	7	15	5
BD/Meadows	1	1	6	5	27	3
Collingwood	0	0	7	0	0	0

UNDER 12 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Juventus	8	0	0	42	4	16
Sth. Melb. 'B'	7	0	1	40	8	14
Kew Pk. R.	4	1	2	17	6	9
Eltham	4	1	3	23	15	9
Watsonia	4	0	3	20	15	8
St. Mark	2	0	5	11	22	4
Bundoora	2	0	6	7	38	4
Coburg	1	0	6	2	18	2
Postal Instit	1	0	7	2	38	2

UNDER 13 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sth Melb 'A'	6	1	1	27	12	13
Melb 'A'	6	0	2	28	9	12
Fawkner	6	0	1	13	5	12
Thomastown	4	1	2	18	12	9
Coburg	4	0	3	21	15	8
Watsonia	3	1	4	12	17	7
Juventus	2	1	4	11	20	5
Rosanna	1	0	7	7	28	2
Greensboro	0	0	8	5	23	0

UNDER 13 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Richmond	6	1	0	52	6	13
Fitzroy	5	1	0	32	6	11
Moreland	5	0	2	28	13	10
Star Sport	3	0	4	15	12	6
Clifton Hill	3	0	4	12	24	6
BD/Meadows	2	0	4	4	31	4
Eltham	0	1	5	4	27	1
Collingwood	0	1	5	3	31	1

UNDER 14

DIVISION 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Coburg	6	1	1	20	10	13
Sth. Melb 'A'	6	0	1	21	7	12
Kensington Utd	5	0	3	19	14	10
Waverley 'A'	4	0	3	14	11	8
Croydon 'A'	4	0	3	12	15	8
Box Hill 'A'	3	1	4	13	6	7
Overport	2	0	6	12	19	4
Seaford 'A'	2	0	6	10	19	4
Moorool 'A'	1	0	6	8	28	2

DIVISION 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Moreland	6	0	0	30	5	12
Springvale	5	1	1	18	6	11
Melton	3	1	2	14	6	7
Rosanna	3	1	3	14	14	7
Sun. Hts.	2	1	2	20	13	5
Knox	1	1	3	7	10	4
Dandy Cy	1	1	3	5	16	3
F. Pines	0	0	7	3	41	0

DIVISION 'C'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Nunawading	8	0	0	21	8	16
Clayton	6	1	0	17	4	13
West Subs	5	2	2	13	9	12
Mossfiel	3	3	3	12	16	9
Lyndale	3	2	3	20	14	8
Mordialloc	2	2	3	12	8	6
Waverley 'B'	2	2	4	10	14	6
Albion	3	0	5	10	15	6
Greensboro	2	1	6	13	19	5
Doncaster	0	1	8	5	26	1

DIVISION 'D'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Keilor	8	0	0	48	3	16
Fawkner	6	1	1	41	12	13
Watsonia	5	0	2	25	7	10
Sth. Melb 'B'	4	2	2	30	9	10
Beaumaris	3	1	3	14	15	7
Seaford 'B'	2	1	4	7	41	5
Keysboro	1	1	6	9	43	3
Caulfield	1	0	7	15	25	2
Peninsula	1	0	6	4	36	2

DIVISION 'E'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Broadmeadows	5	1	0	25	3	11
Brighton	5	0	2	31	9	10
Doveton	4	1	1	16	2	9
Waverley 'C'	2	2	2	12	12	6
Box Hill 'B'	2	1	3	12	21	5
Kew Pk R	1	1	4	9	18	3
Moorool 'B'	1	1	4	7	18	3
Bundoora	1	1	5	4	33	3

DIVISION 'F'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Croxton	7	0	0	63	0	14
Essendon Cy	5	0	2	30	3	10
Monbulk	5	0	2	32	6	10
Croydon 'B'	4	0	3	17	11	8
Ring Cy 'B'	3	0	4	14	22	6
Berwick	2	0	4	9	26	4
Moorabbin	1	0	5	2	24	2
Diamond Ck	0	0	6	0	72	0

UNDER 16

DIVISION 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sun Cy	5	0	1	15	8	10
Essendon City	3	2	0	16	4	8
Box Hill 'A'	3	1	2	22	12	7
St. Albans	2	3	1	11	6	7
Mossfiel	3	1	3	15	18	7
Melbourne	1	2	3	6	12	4
Croydon	1	1	4	3	30	3
Doveton	1	0	5	13	11	2

DIVISION 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Waverley 'A'	7	0	0	29	3	14
Sth. Melb.*	5	1	1	23	8	11
Fawkner	4	2	1	30	11	10
Sun. Hts	4	2	2	33	17	10
Footscray*	1	4	3	13	24	6
Altona	1	3	3	12	11	5
Knox	2	1	5	13	34	5
Doncaster	1	1	5	11	23	3
Overport	0	0	7	4	38	0

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DIVISION 'C'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Fitzroy	7	1	0	38	3	15
Green Gully	7	1	0	38	3	15
Moreland	5	2	1	22	7	12
Seaford	4	2	3	22	22	10
Mooroolbark	4	2	1	16	11	10
Brighton	2	2	4	17	18	6
Ring Cy	3	0	5	16	25	6
Coburg	2	2	4	7	16	6
F. Pines	0	0	8	3	32	0
Waverley 'B'	0	0	8	2	44	0

DIVISION 'D'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
West Subs	5	1	0	14	7	11
Star Sport	5	0	2	18	8	10
Keilor	5	0	2	15	9	10
Caulfield	5	0	2	10	9	10
Broadmeadows	4	1	2	21	11	9
Thomastown	3	1	4	6	14	7
Dandy City	2	1	5	11	21	5
Ring Utd	0	0	7	2	9	0
George X	0	0	5	0	8	0

DIVISION 'E'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Ardeer	7	1	0	65	5	15
Clayton	6	1	2	41	14	13
Rosebud	4	4	1	28	27	12
Box Hill 'B'	4	3	1	22	10	11
Karingal	4	2	2	28	23	10
Greensboro	4	1	4	26	18	9
St. Mark	4	1	4	21	33	9
F.T. Gully	2	1	5	26	27	5
Chelsea	1	0	8	8	61	2
Nunawading	0	0	9	6	57	0

DIVISION 'F'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Clifton Hill	4	1	0	21	4	9
Clarinda	2	2	1	5	9	6
Lyndale	2	1	1	14	4	5
Boronia	1	2	1	18	7	4
Hotham	1	0	3	5	13	2
Salesian	0	0	4	1	28	0

UNDER 16

DIVISION 'A'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Moorool	6	1	0	18	6	13
Melbourne	5	0	2	17	10	10
Nuna Cy	5	0	2	15	11	10
Box Hill	4	0	3	29	13	8
Coburg	3	0	4	7	6	6
Knox	3	0	4	13	29	6
Doveton	1	0	6	3	21	2
Watsonia	0	1	6	8	14	1

DIVISION 'B'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Caulfield	5	1	1	23	11	11
Rosanna 'A'	4	1	1	12	7	9
Waverley	4	0	2	23	11	8
Albion	3	1	3	11	11	7
Brighton	3	0	3	13	15	6
Overport	1	1	5	10	22	3
Doncaster	1	0	6	7	21	2

DIVISION 'C'

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Lyndale	5	0	0	23	2	10
Springvale	4	0	1	24	4	8
Rosanna 'B'	2	0	3	8	10	4
Beaumaris	2	0	3	6	24	4
Mitcham	1	0	4	9	17	2
Kew Pk R.	1	0	4	5	18	2

UNDER 18

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sunshine Cy	7	0	0	31	5	14
Ring Cy*	5	1	0	16	4	11
Essendon*	5	0	1	19	5	10
Juventus	5	0	2	29	11	10
Broadmeadows	3	1	3	14	19	7
Rosanna	3	1	4	14	27	7
De La Salle	2	1	3	7	15	5
Moreland	2	0	5	12	21	4
Melton	1	0	7	3	40	2

Ring. City v Essendon — Under PROTEST.

GEELONG

Geelong Districts Junior Soccer Association Results:

UNDER SIXTEEN: North Geelong v Geelong United 0-1, Barwon City v Bell Park 0-6, Hamlyn Rangers v Brintons 6-2, Ballarat — Bye.

UNDER FOURTEEN: Bell Park v North Geelong 4-1, Hamlyn Rangers v Geelong United 2-4, Barwon City v Chanel College 2-2.

UNDER 12: North Geelong v Geelong United 6-0, Barwon City v Corio 3-1, Geelong v Bell Park 14-0, Hamlyn Rangers — Bye.

UNDER TEN: North Geelong A v Geelong United 0-1, Barwon City v Corio 6-2, Geelong v Bell Park 1-1, Hamlyn Rangers v North Geelong B 2-2.

Under Ten and Under Twelve teams have Cup games on Sunday July 17.

Under Tens will kick-off at 10 a.m. and Under Twelves will kick-off at 11 a.m. on grounds as per fixtures.

UNDER SIXTEEN

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Geelong United	7	0	2	22	7	14
Bell Park	6	1	2	50	18	13
North Geelong	5	1	2	27	12	11
Hamlyn Rangers	5	1	3	30	20	11
Ballarat	3	0	5	13	19	6
Brintons	2	0	6	10	33	4
Barwon City	0	1	8	3	41	1

UNDER FOURTEEN

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Bell Park	8	0	1	35	8	16
North Geelong	6	1	2	22	11	13
Geelong United	5	2	2	26	19	12
Hamlyn Rangers	4	2	3	19	14	10
Chanel College	2	2	5	17	22	6
Barwon City	0	1	8	7	43	1

UNDER TWELVE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Geelong	9	0	0	61	1	18
North Geelong	7	1	1	45	5	15
Barwon City	5	2	2	25	13	12
Corio	4	1	4	19	12	9
Geelong United	1	2	5	5	32	4
Hamlyn Rangers	1	1	6	4	43	3
Bell Park	0	0	8	1	54	0

UNDER TEN

	W	D	L	F	A	P
North Geelong A	8	1	1	43	7	17
Barwon City	8	1	1	38	8	17
Geelong United	7	1	2	30	7	15
Geelong	3	4	3	15	11	10
Hamlyn Rangers	2	2	6	11	25	6
Bell Park	2	2	6	8	29	6
Corio	3	0	7	11	41	6
Nth Geelong B	1	1	8	4	35	3

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UNDER 17

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Ballarat	3	0	0	23	4	6
Forest Rangers	2	0	1	8	6	4
Ballarat High	1	0	2	1	12	2
S.P.C.	0	0	3	2	12	0

UNDER 15

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sebas. Vikings	3	0	0	24	0	6
Ballarat	3	0	0	20	4	6
S.P.C.	1	0	2	5	5	2
North United	1	0	2	6	8	2
St. Paul's	1	0	2	1	25	2
Creswick	0	0	3	0	14	0

UNDER 13

	W	D	L	F	A	P
S.P.C.	2	1	0	6	3	5*
Wendouree Wanderers	2	1	0	7	5	5*
Creswick	1	2	0	7	5	4
Forest Rangers	2	0	0	15	2	4
North United	2	0	0	11	2	4
Ballarat	2	0	1	6	7	4*
St. Pauls	1	0	2	4	7	2
Sebas. Vikings	0	0	3	6	11	0
Ararat	0	0	3	6	25	0

UNDER 12

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Creswick	3	0	0	35	0	6
Forest Rangers	3	0	0	6	1	6*
North United	2	0	1	5	2	4*
Redan	2	0	1	3	17	4
Drummond St.	1	0	2	1	6	2*
Pleasant St.	1	0	2	3	11	2
Ararat	0	0	3	3	16	0

UNDER 11

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Golden Point	2	1	0	4	1	5*
Drummond St.	2	0	1	17	2	4*
Forest Rangers 'A'	2	0	0	11	4	4
North United	2	0	1	13	6	4
Creswick	1	1	1	3	7	3*
Sebas. Vikings	1	0	2	2	10	2
Forest Rangers 'B'	0	0	2	2	8	0

UNDER 10

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Creswick	3	0	0	24	0	6
Ballarat	3	0	0	16	0	6*
Forest Rangers	2	0	0	14	0	4
Drummond St.	2	0	0	7	2	4*
Sebas. Vikings	2	0	1	9	8	4
North United	1	0	2	2	11	2
Goldn Point	1	0	2	1	6	2*
Wendouree Wanderers	0	0	3	1	17	0
Pleasant St.	0	0	3	0	32	0

UNDER 9

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Forest Rangers	3	0	0	5	1	6
Creswick	2	0	1	2	1	4
North United	1	0	2	2	2	2
Drummond St.	0	0	3	1	6	0

*Two points for the Bye.

NSW

Southern and Eastern league (NSW) results as of June 4.

UNDER 6: Kensington 3, Hakoah 2. Maroubra 0, Queens Pk 0, Hakoah B 3, Pagewood 0.

UNDER 7: Queens Pk A 4, Queens Pk B 0. Pagewood 3, Hakoah 2.

UNDER 8: Queens Pk A 8, Maroubra 0. Pagewood A 6, Hakoah B 0. Hakoah A 1, Pagewood B 0. Kensington 8, Queens Pk 0.

UNDER 9: Kensington 4, Queens Pk B 0. Queens Pk A 0, Maroubra 0. Pagewood A 3, Pagewood B 0. Hakoah 6, RPBC 2.

UNDER 10A: Maroubra 1, Kensington 1. Hakoah 1, Pagewood 1; Queens Pk 3, Kingsford 1.

UNDER 10 B: Kensington 5, Queens Pk C 0; Pagewood 3, RPBC 2; Maroubra 5, Queens Pk B 0.

UNDER 11: Kensington 4, Hakoah B 2; Pagewood A 6, Pagewood B 0; Kingsford 3, Queens Pk 1.

Essendon tots chase title

Essendon juniors U/9A squad looks well set to win the Yarra 'B' championship and has scored 45 goals with only three against.

They are also still in the U/9 cup.

The team is, from left to right, standing: D. Zeneral, R. Luburic, J. Bacak, D. Beljan, T. Visevic, T. Kolceg, M. Tadinae, J. Ramljak (coach). Front: M. Lubiric, R. Ramljak, S. Omisel, S. Ramljak, J. Galic, Z. Gagula, I. Kelic, M. Makasevic.

Abonyi the top scorer

Leading NSW scorers to June 19:

9. Abonyi (Croatia), Doyle (Apia).
8. Daley (Bankstown).
6. Beggs (Wollongong), McCormack (Apia), Stevenson (Arncliffe).
5. Fenoughty (Croatia), Lavin (Sutherland).
4. Angelopoulos (Hellas), Deller (Auburn), Jack (Apia), Smith (Sutherland).
3. Sidey (Auburn), G. Butler (Bankstown), Dobson (Auburn), B. Doylé (Manly), Malam (Manly), Morlando (Wollongong), Sullivan (Croatia).

Changes due to 'super soccer'

Due to the re-schedule of the international tournament next month, the following arrangements will now be made to accommodate the Sydney match on Sunday July 24 — Arsenal v. Glasgow Celtic.

- All 17th round matches will revert to their original dates — July 30 and 31.
- All 16th round matches scheduled for Sunday July 24, will be now played on Sunday August 7.
- All matches scheduled for Saturday July 23 will be played as scheduled.

Wests captain Peter Wilson battles for the ball with Hellas full back John Daperis at Middle Park last Sunday.

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ALL THE SCORES, TABLES

STATE LEAGUE: Polonia v Hakoah firsts 0-1 reserves 1-1. Juventus v Makedonia 5-0 p/p. Altona v Ringwood 0-2 3-2. Frankston v Sunshine 4-3 0-3. Slavia v George Cross 0-0 p/p. Green Gully v Essendon Lions 1-0 0-4.

DIVISION 1: Albion Rovers v Waverley City (ground waterlogged) p/p p/p. Western Suburbs v Box Hill 1-4 p/p. Keilor City v Dandenong City (ground waterlogged) p/p 0-2. Springvale v St Albans 3-0 2-1. Ardeer v Melbourne 2-1 p/p. Croydon City v Keilor-Austria 0-0 4-1.

DIVISION II: Fitzroy-Alexander v Eltham 1-1 p/p. Collingwood City v Brighton 5-2 p/p. Ferntree Gully v Footscray-JUST 1-1 p/p. Richmond v Mooroolbark United 2-1 p/p. Bell Park v Moreland 1-1 2-1. Doveton v South Melbourne-Hellas 1-0 p/p.

DIVISION III: Broadmeadows v Ringwood United 2-3 p/p. Knox City v Moorabbin 5-1 1-1. Port Melbourne v Coburg 3-0 0-1. Park Rangers v Prahran 0-2 0-3. Chelsea v Heidelberg 1-1 0-1. Essendon v Yallourn 1-1 3-6.

DIVISION IV: Corio v University of Melbourne 1-3 2-0. Clayton v Monash University (aband. h/t 0-0 — ground unfit) p/p. Mornington v Morwell Falcons 2-4 1-0. Doncaster Rovers v Rosebud 1-1 3-1. Sandringham City v Caulfield City 0-2 0-0. South Yarra v Ballarat (ground waterlogged) p/p.

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE

DIVISION 1: Hamlyn Rangers v Williamstown 1-2 1-3. Greensborough v Hotham United (waterlogged) p/p p/p. Langwarrin v Werribee 1-4 2-3. Nunawading City v Frankston Pines (ground waterlogged) p/p p/p. South Dandenong v Fawkner 0-3 p/p. Central Altona v Geelong 2-3 3-3.

DIVISION 2: Sunbury v Carlton 2-3 1-3. Bulleen v Karingal United (ground waterlogged) p/p p/p. East Brunswick v Keysborough 0-2 1-2. North Dandenong v Thomastown (ground waterlogged) p/p p/p. Burnley v Melton 0-2 2-3.

DISTRICT LEAGUE

DIVISION 1: Royal Park v Hampton 10-1 3-2. Nunawading United v Sandown 3-2 3-2. Mordialloc v Regent 1-1 1-3. Pascoe Vale v Postal Institute p/p p/p. South Oakleigh v Gladstone Park 3-2 2-1.

DIVISION 2: Yarraville v Mitcham 1-0 1-0. Kensington v North Melbourne 4-2 2-1. Boronia v Wiltona p/p 6-0. Carnegie v Hawksburn 1-3 1-3.

DIVISION 3: Croxton v Diamond Creek 1-0 2-0. Berwick City v Noble Park 2-1 1-2. Thornbury v Stradbroke 1-1 2-0. Banksia v North Sunshine p/p p/p. Clifton Hill v Ascot United 3-0 2-0.

DIVISION 4: Central Brunswick v Cheltenham 1-2 w/o C8. RMIT v Clrinda 2-2 3-1. Mossfiel Rangers v Frognall RAAF 4-0 5-1. Balaclava v Latrobe University 2-1 2-2. Crescent United v East Carlton 0-0 1-1.

THIRDS

SOUTH DIVISION: Langwarrin v South Dandenong 3-2. Frankston Pines v Chelsea 1-1.

WEST DIVISION: Coburg v Sunbury 0-3. Broadmeadows City v Collingwood City 1-2.

STATE LEAGUE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
George Cross	6	3	0	15	5	15
Slavia	4	5	1	16	10	13
Hakoah	4	5	1	12	8	13
Frankston	4	3	2	11	8	11
Juventus	4	3	3	17	13	11
Ringwood	4	2	4	13	12	10
Sunshine	3	4	3	17	17	10
Altona	1	7	2	11	14	9
Makedonia	2	5	3	11	15	9
Ess. Lions	2	3	5	11	13	7
GG-Ajax	2	3	4	9	13	7
Polonia	0	1	8	4	19	1

STATE LEAGUE RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Slavia	5	3	0	14	3	13
Ess. Lions	5	3	1	19	7	13
GG-Ajax	5	3	1	12	10	13
Polonia	4	4	1	15	7	12
Sunshine	4	3	2	14	14	11
Juventus	4	2	2	12	15	10
Hakoah	1	6	2	6	8	8
George Cross	3	1	3	11	12	7
Frankston	2	2	5	9	15	6
Altona	2	2	5	9	17	6
Ringwood	1	2	6	9	16	4
Makedonia	0	1	7	4	20	1

DIVISION ONE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Albion Rovers	9	0	1	26	8	18
Box Hill	7	2	2	24	11	16
Dandenong	4	4	1	20	13	12
Waverley	5	1	3	15	10	11
Croydon	4	3	3	18	13	11
Ardeer	4	3	3	16	12	11
Western Suburbs	5	0	5	12	19	10
Austria	3	2	5	15	11	8
Springvale	3	1	6	10	16	7
Keilor City	3	1	5	13	26	7
Melbourne	1	3	6	14	23	5
St Albans	0	2	8	8	29	2

DIVISION ONE RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Croydon	8	1	1	25	12	17
Western Suburbs	5	1	3	18	9	11
Box Hill	4	2	2	19	12	10
Austria	4	2	3	9	11	10
Waverley	4	1	4	12	11	9
Keilor City	4	1	5	14	16	9
Dandenong	3	3	4	12	14	9
Springvale	4	0	6	10	20	8
Albion Rovers	3	1	3	17	12	7
Ardeer	2	3	3	7	9	7
Melbourne	2	1	4	11	12	5
St Albans	1	2	6	5	20	4

DIVISION TWO

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Doveton	8	0	2	34	7	16
Collingwood	6	2	3	21	16	14
Ferntree Gully	5	3	3	17	14	13
Richmond	5	3	3	15	15	13
Eltham	4	3	3	18	14	11
Brighton	5	1	4	20	19	11
Mooroolbark	5	1	5	26	25	11
Alexander	2	5	3	12	13	9
Moreland	3	3	5	13	23	9
Bell Park	2	4	4	17	23	8
JUST	1	4	5	13	25	6
Hellas	2	1	8	12	24	5

DIVISION TWO RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Doveton	8	1	0	37	5	17
Brighton	7	1	2	32	19	15
Eltham	7	0	3	26	12	14
Alexander	5	2	2	23	14	12
Bell Park	4	2	3	25	19	10
Ferntree Gully	4	2	3	13	16	10
Hellas	4	1	4	21	20	9
Moreland	3	3	5	18	23	9
Richmond	1	5	4	19	22	7
Collingwood	3	0	7	13	32	6
Mooroolbark	1	1	7	10	21	3
JUST	0	2	7	6	42	2

DIVISION THREE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Knox	8	0	3	32	16	16
Chelsea	6	3	1	21	9	15
Pt Melbourne	6	2	2	19	11	14
Prahran	4	3	3	21	15	11
Coburg	4	2	4	12	18	10
Heidelberg	2	5	3	15	15	9
Yallourn	2	5	4	23	24	9
Essendon	2	5	3	9	12	9
Broadmeadows	4	0	4	12	13	8
Ringwood Utd	3	2	5	16	26	8
Moorabbin	0	6	4	10	23	6
Park Rangers	1	3	6	10	18	5

DIVISION THREE RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Prahran	8	2	0	30	14	18
Knox	7	1	1	38	9	15
Pt Melbourne	6	3	2	22	13	15
Broadmeadows	5	3	1	20	10	13
Coburg	5	3	2	15	12	13
Moorabbin	2	4	3	20	20	8
Heidelberg	3	2	5	18	25	8
Chelsea	2	3	6	10	12	7
Ringwood Utd	2	3	3	12	15	7
Yallourn	1	4	6	17	34	6
Park Rangers	1	3	6	11	26	5
Essendon	1	1	8	16	39	3

DIVISION FOUR

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Doncaster	9	1	0	30	8	19
Sandringham	7	1	3	33	19	15
Morwell Falcons	7	0	4	25	15	14
Caulfield	5	2	3	16	11	12
Monash Uni	6	0	3	20	15	12
Clayton	3	5	2	19	17	11
Sth Yarra	5	1	3	13	15	11
Corio	3	1	6	10	16	7
Rosebud	2	2	6	14	22	6
Uni of Melb	2	2	6	11	23	6
Mornington	2	0	8	10	23	4
Ballarat	1	1	8	8	25	3

DIVISION FOUR RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Doncaster	8	0	2	26	9	16
Morwell Falcons	8	0	3	25	10	16
Ballarat	5	2	2	21	13	12
Uni of Melb	4	4	3	20	18	12
Mornington	5	2	3	15	15	12
Monash Uni	4	3	2	13	9	11
Sandringham	5	1	4	17	16	11
Corio	4	1	5	16	23	9
Sth Yarra	2	2	6	17	23	6
Caulfield	1	4	5	6	17	6
Rosebud	2	1	7	11	20	5
Clayton	2	0	8	8	22	4

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE
DIVISION ONE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Werribee	7	4	0	36	17	18
Fawkner	6	3	1	28	15	15
Greensborough	6	2	2	18	10	14
Geelong	6	1	3	25	18	13
Frankston	5	2	3	27	14	12
Williamstown	4	3	4	21	18	11
Langwarrin	4	0	7	21	29	8
Hotham Utd	4	0	5	14	30	8
Nunawading	2	2	5	14	17	6
Hamlyn Rangers	2	2	6	10	16	6
Sth Dandenong	2	2	6	19	38	6
Central Altona	1	3	7	18	29	5

PL DIVISION ONE RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Geelong	7	3	0	38	11	17
Werribee	5	3	2	33	18	13
Greensborough	4	4	1	20	11	12
Frankston	5	2	2	25	14	12
Nunawading	5	1	2	23	9	11
Fawkner	4	3	2	27	17	11
Central Altona	3	4	4	16	27	10
Langwarrin	2	4	4	23	22	8
Hamlyn Rangers	2	3	5	19	29	7
Hotham Utd	3	1	4	11	28	7
Williamstown	1	1	9	12	35	3
Sth Dandenong	1	1	7	8	34	3

PL DIVISION TWO

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Nth Dandenong	9	1	0	23	9	19
Keysborough	7	2	2	20	13	16
Thomastown	6	1	2	17	9	13
Sunbury	6	0	4	20	9	12
Hawthorn	4	2	4	15	13	10
Melton	4	2	5	17	19	10
Bulleen	2	5	3	12	13	9
East Brunswick	3	2	5	16	14	8
Burnley	3	1	6	13	17	7
West Melbourne	2	2	6	11	25	6
Karingal	2	1	6	8	12	5
Carlton	1	3	6	16	25	5

PL DIVISION TWO RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sunbury	7	1	3	30	13	15
Karingal	7	1	2	26	13	15
Carlton	6	2	2	27	19	14
Nth Dandenong	6	1	3	20	9	13
Melton	6	0	5	29	23	12
Thomastown	4	3	2	12	14	11
Hawthorn	5	0	4	17	16	10
Keysborough	3	2	5	3	15	8
Bulleen	3	1	5	11	16	7
Burnley	2	2	6	17	30	6
West Melbourne	2	0	7	11	31	4
East Brunswick	1	1	8	11	25	3

DISTRICT LEAGUE
DIVISION 1

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Royal Park	8	0	1	30	5	16
Mordialloc	6	2	2	26	15	14
South Oakleigh	5	2	3	25	17	12
Gladstone Park	5	1	3	29	17	11
Nunawading Utd	4	3	3	25	20	11
Postal Institute	5	0	4	19	14	10
Regent	3	3	2	17	17	9
Sandown	1	3	5	17	29	5
Hampton	0	2	6	8	37	2
Pascoe Vale	0	0	8	8	33	0

DL DIVISION 1 RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Gladstone Park	7	1	2	20	7	14
Postal Institute	6	2	1	23	9	14
Royal Park	6	1	2	17	11	13
Regent	5	2	3	25	18	12
South Oakleigh	5	2	3	17	13	12
Nunawading Utd	3	3	4	19	22	9
Mordialloc	4	0	6	18	21	8
Hampton	3	1	5	11	20	7
Sandown	1	1	8	14	29	3
Pascoe Vale	1	1	7	7	21	3

DL DIVISION 2

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Boronia	6	2	0	15	3	14
Yarraville	6	2	1	14	7	14
Kensington Utd	5	2	2	16	13	12
Hawksburn	5	0	4	17	15	10
Mitcham	3	2	5	18	13	8
Rosanna	3	2	4	15	15	8
North Melbourne	2	4	4	19	29	8
Wiltona	2	3	2	10	9	7
Monbulk	3	0	6	18	13	6
Carnegie	1	1	8	6	31	3

DL DIVISION 2 RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Kensington Utd	6	4	0	19	9	16
Wiltona	6	2	2	23	22	14
Boronia	6	0	3	36	17	12
Yarraville	5	2	2	25	19	12
Hawksburn	5	1	3	26	19	11
Nth Melbourne	3	1	6	22	32	7
Carnegie	3	1	6	16	25	7
Mitcham	3	0	6	19	25	6
Rosanna	2	1	5	16	20	5
Monbulk	0	2	6	11	25	2

DL DIVISION 3

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Clifton Hill	7	2	1	25	10	16
Thornbury	7	2	1	25	13	16
Croxton	6	2	2	16	12	14
North Sunshine	6	0	3	17	11	12
Diamond Creek	4	1	5	18	20	9
Stradbroke	3	3	4	18	23	9
Berwick City	3	3	4	14	16	9
Banksia	2	2	5	15	16	6
Ascot Utd	3	0	7	12	23	6
Noble Park	0	1	9	9	25	1

DL DIVISION 2 RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
North Sunshine	8	0	0	37	8	16
Croxton	6	2	1	25	8	14
Berwick City	4	1	5	13	21	9
Thornbury	3	2	3	9	10	8
Diamond Creek	3	2	5	16	19	8
Stradbroke	2	4	3	11	14	8
Clifton Hill	3	0	4	16	15	6
Ascot Utd	3	0	4	8	16	6
Noble Park	3	0	6	13	25	6
Banksia	1	1	6	11	23	3

DL DIVISION 4

	W	D	L	F	A	P
East Carlton	5	4	1	15	7	14
RMIT	6	2	2	22	12	14
Crescent Utd	5	2	2	17	7	12
Central Brunswick	5	1	1	24	7	11
Clarinda	4	3	2	22	17	11
Cheltenham	5	1	4	18	13	11
Balaclava	2	4	3	16	20	8
Mossfiel Rangers	2	2	4	14	14	6
Latrobe Uni	0	1	6	6	24	1
Frognall RAAF	0	0	8	6	36	0

DL DIVISION 4 RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Central Brunswick	8	1	1	33	10	17
Mossfiel Rangers	7	0	2	26	14	14
Cheltenham	5	1	4	40	8	11
East Carlton	3	4	2	22	11	10
Clarinda	4	1	5	18	18	9
RMIT	4	1	5	19	20	9
Crescent	3	3	4	16	18	9
Latrobe Uni	2	3	4	13	22	7
Balaclava	2	1	4	8	14	5
Frognall RAAF	0	1	7	5	65	1

THIRDS DIVISION WEST

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Collingwood	7	2	0	39	18	16
Fawkner	6	0	2	38	15	12
Richmond	5	1	2	30	14	11
Greensborough	4	2	1	21	16	10
Broadmeadows	3	2	3	20	15	8
Univ of Melb	2	1	3	10	13	5
Sunbury	2	0	6	14	32	4
Hotham Utd	1	1	3	16	30	3
Hamlyn Rangers	1	0	3	6	10	2
Coburg	0	1	6	6	37	1

THIRDS DIVISION EAST

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Williamstown	6	1	0	31	8	13
Doncaster	4	0	2	23	9	8
Caulfield	2	3	1	19	12	7
Croydon	3	1	3	23	29	7
Brighton	2	2	3	15	17	6
Clayton	2	0	4	11	16	4
Monash Uni	2	0	5	9	25	4
Doveton	1	1	4	10	12	3
Knox	1	0	3	11	24	2

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

DIVISION 1: Bowater Scott P. RACV P; Ford Falcons 3, Repco Richmond 2; Kodak United 3, Tarax 2; McColl Dyn A 0, Pegasus 1; Melbourne Meatts 5, W. D. & H. O. Wills 5.

DIVISION 2: ANZ Bank A 3, Mid Pk VRI A 1; Bosch 1, Public Works A 3; Philip Morris 3, ACI Box Hill 2; Siemens A P, Ansett P; TAA 1, Sperry Vickers 4.

DIVISION 3: CBC Bank 1, Diecraft 1; Fibre Cont. 5, Leyland 3; LETS 3, Rowntree Hoadley 0; Lysaght 1, Colyer Watson 1; Taxation Utd 1, Reyrolle United 2.

DIVISION 4 EAST: Caster United 1, McColl Dyn B 4; Linatex 5, Fibremakers Utd 6; Public Works B P, Keeley Utd P; Ringwood Lanes P, Tessa Town P; The Age — Bye.

DIVISION 4 NORTH: AGCF 3, Caulfield Sprs 3; AHD P, ANZ Bank B P; A. R. Split P, Olympic Tyre P; KSC United P, Travellers Melb P; Repco Coold. — Bye.

DIVISION 4 WEST: Aquila Steel 3, Siemens Bees 2; Gascor City 1, James Miller 6; Mid Pk VRI B 1, RAAF Pt Cook 9; Parory Florinis 0, CIG 2; Quaker LUV — Bye.

DIVISION 1

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Pegasus	7	0	1	21	7	14
McColl Dyn A	5	2	1	25	15	12
RACV	5	1	1	25	12	11
Ford Falcons	4	0	3	17	13	8
W. D. & H. O. Wills	3	2	3	25	22	8
Melbourne Meats	3	2	3	20	24	8
Tarax	2	2	3	16	17	6
Bowater Scott	2	1	4	15	22	5
Repco Richmond	1	0	7	12	22	2
Kodak United	1	0	7	12	34	2

DIVISION 2

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sperry Vickers	6	2	0	21	7	14
Pub Works A	5	3	0	24	7	13
Bosch	5	2	1	26	12	12
Philip Morris	3	2	3	17	19	8
Mid Pk VRI A	4	0	4	23	27	8
ACI Box Hill	2	3	3	16	17	7
Siemens A	2	2	3	15	16	6
ANZ Bank A	3	0	5	13	21	6
TAA	1	1	6	14	27	3
Ansett	0	1	6	7	23	1

DIVISION 3

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Colyer Watson	4	4	0	18	6	12
Diecraft	4	3	0	13	6	11
CBC Bank	4	3	1	13	9	11
LETS	3	2	2	14	11	8
Taxation	2	4	2	13	11	8
Lysaght	2	3	2	15	12	7
Reyrolle Utd	2	3	3	12	16	7
Leyland	2	2	3	16	17	6
Fibre Cont	2	1	5	15	25	5
Rowntree Headley	0	1	7	6	22	1

DIVISION 4 EAST

	W	D	L	F	A	P
McColl Dyn B	7	0	0	27	3	14
Keeley United	4	0	2	16	4	8
Caster United	3	2	2	21	20	8
Fibremakers Utd	3	1	3	19	18	7
The Age	3	1	3	17	18	7
ESC Tools	2	1	3	19	25	5
Tessa Town	2	0	4	10	13	4
Pub Works B	1	2	4	13	18	4
Ringwood Lands	0	1	4	5	28	1

DIVISION 4 NORTH

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Travellers Melb	6	0	0	26	2	12
A. R. Split	5	0	1	35	7	10
K.S.C. United	4	1	1	17	8	9
Caulfield Sprs	3	2	2	16	13	8
AGCF	2	2	3	18	20	6
Olympic Tyre	2	1	3	14	17	5
AHD	1	2	4	11	11	4
Repco Cooldrive	2	0	5	10	29	4
ANZ Bank B	0	0	6	6	46	0

DIVISION 4 WEST

	W	D	L	F	A	P
James Miller	6	1	0	32	5	13
CIG	6	0	1	20	5	12
Quaker LUV	5	1	1	22	10	11
Parory Florinis	4	2	1	24	11	10
RAAF Pt Cook	3	1	3	25	12	7
Gascor City	2	0	5	20	5	4
Aquila Steel	1	2	4	13	32	4
Mid Pk VRI B	0	1	6	7	36	1
Siemens Bees	0	0	6	6	29	0

LATROBE VALLEY

DIVISION ONE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Moe	7	1	1	40	7	15
Pegasus	7	1	1	25	9	15
Monash	6	1	2	32	9	13
Churchill	6	0	3	19	15	12
Traralgon	3	3	3	16	13	9
Fortuna	4	1	4	25	20	9
Newborough	3	3	3	25	20	9
Sale City	2	0	7	19	39	4
Rangers	1	1	7	19	46	3
Leongatha	1	0	8	12	43	2

RESERVES

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Moe	8	1	0	61	5	17
Monash	7	1	1	41	10	15
Newborough	6	1	2	29	15	13
Churchill	5	1	3	27	12	11
Pegasus	4	2	3	46	7	10
Traralgon	4	1	4	41	20	9
Fortuna	3	1	5	22	17	7
Sale City	2	0	6	7	70	4
Rangers	1	0	8	7	62	2
Leongatha	0	1	8	4	48	1

DIVISION TWO

	W	D	L	F	A	P
RAAF East Sale	6	0	0	29	8	12
Bairnsdale Utd	5	0	1	23	6	10
Bairnsdale	4	0	2	29	5	8
Warragul	4	0	2	32	13	8
St Pats Coll	2	0	4	7	27	4
Drouin	2	0	4	17	28	4
Sale Cardinals	1	0	5	3	30	2
Morwell	0	0	6	2	12	0

Latrobe Valley games for July 3: Seniors and Reserves — Newborough v Moe. Rangers v Fortuna, Pegasus v Monash. Leongattha v Traralgon, Sale City v Churchill.

Second Division — Bairnsdale United v Bairnsdale, Drouin v Warragul, RAAF East Sale v St Patricks College, Falcons v Sale Cardinals.

Victorian women's tables as at 19.6.77:

FIRST DIVISION

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Greensborough	5	2	0	32	4	12
Dandenong	4	0	2	16	7	8
Green Gully	4	0	3	15	15	8
Melton	2	1	3	9	16	5
Broadmeadows	2	1	4	4	13	5
United	2	1	3	16	19	5
Doveton	1	1	5	6	24	3

SECOND DIVISION

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Waverley	6	0	1	28	5	12
Springvale	5	0	2	22	9	10
Werribee	5	0	1	19	5	10
Footscray "Y"	4	0	4	18	13	8
Knox City	1	0	6	10	22	2
RMIT	0	0	7	1	44	0

NSW

ROTHMAN'S LEAGUE: Apia-Leichhardt 1 (Butler) d Sutherland Shire 0 at Lambert Park. Crowd: 1013.

Wollongong City 3 (Beggs 2, Morianco) d Bankstown 0, at Berkeley. Crowd: 350.

Avala 3 (Morrow 2, Griffith) d Hellas Canterbury-Marrickville 0 at Bankstown. Crowd: 702.

Auburn 2 (Deller, Tracey) d Manly-Warringah (Martinez) at Mona Park. Crowd: 411.

Yugal-Prague 1 (Rudic own goal) d Granville-Parramatta 0 at Marks Field. Crowd: 200.

Croatia Sydney 2 (Abonyi 2) d Arncliffe Scots 0, at Hurstville Oval. Crowd: 1250 (Saturday match).

SECOND GRADE: Apia 1 (Jack) Sutherland 0, Wollongong City 1 (Troha) Bankstown 1 (Tilt), Hellas 2 (Sertlioglu, Loustos) Avala 1 (Young), Manly 4 (Kay 2, Davidson 2) Auburn 2 (McGrath, Bielby), Granville 0 Yugal 0.

DIVISION TWO: Warringah 2 Nth Sydney 1. Polonia v Belmore not played, ground unfit; Hornsby 2 Kuringai 3, Marrickville 2 Guildford 1, Revesby 1 Toongabbie 2, Queens Park v Melita — ground unfit.

DIVISION THREE: Gladesville 0 Schofield 1, Campbelltown 1 Lethbridge 2, Corinthians 1 Wenty 3, University 2 West Ryde 2, Blacktown 1 Yagoona 1, Bondi 3 Pt Hacking 2.

DIVISION FOUR: Baulkham 0 Bathurst 1, Bankstown 4 Ryde 3, Dee Why 5 Greenwich 0, Lane Cove 2 Chelsea 1, Sydney U. 0 Artarmon 2, Padstow Pk v Holroyd not played, ground unfit.

DIVISION FIVE: St George 4 Kingsford 6, Maroubra 2 Eastwood 1, Belfield 1 Hurstville 2, North Rocks 1 Revesby 2, Auburn J. 1 Fairfield 1, Concordia 0 Ashcroft 1.

STATE LEAGUE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Croatia	10	0	1	26	9	20
Apia	8	2	1	27	10	18
Auburn	5	3	2	19	13	13
Sutherland	5	2	4	12	12	12
Wollongong	4	3	3	19	15	11
Arncliffe	4	1	5	19	18	9
Avala	3	3	4	16	17	9
Bankstown	4	1	6	17	19	9
Manly	4	1	5	10	12	9
Hellas	3	1	7	17	26	7
Granville	1	4	5	9	17	6
Yugal	1	1	9	6	29	3

NSW tables as at June 20:

STATE LEAGUE
(Second Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sutherland	7	2	1	22	7	16
APIA	8	0	2	23	9	16
Arncliffe	7	0	2	21	11	14
Manly	4	3	2	15	11	11
Croatia	5	1	3	14	7	11
Bankstown	5	1	3	14	11	11
Auburn	4	1	4	15	11	9
Granville	3	2	4	13	14	8
Wollongong	3	1	4	11	19	7
Yugal	2	1	7	8	26	5
Hellas	1	2	7	9	21	4
Avala	0	0	9	3	21	0

STATE LEAGUE
(Third Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sutherland	7	3	0	28	6	17
Granville	6	1	2	16	9	13
Manly	5	2	2	19	8	12
Arncliffe	3	6	0	18	11	12
Auburn	3	4	2	9	8	10
APIA	3	3	4	16	16	9
Avala	2	4	3	15	10	8
Hellas	2	4	4	9	14	8
Yugal	3	2	5	10	21	8
Croatia	2	2	5	12	24	6
Wollongong	2	1	6	10	22	5
Bankstown	1	2	6	10	16	4

SECOND DIVISION
(First Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Melita	8	1	0	31	4	17
Toongabbie	8	1	0	26	8	17
Queens Park	6	2	2	18	13	14
Ku-ring-gai	4	3	3	17	10	11
Revesby W	5	0	2	11	11	10
Warringah	3	3	3	13	13	9
Guildford	3	3	3	18	20	9
Marrickville	2	3	4	13	17	7
Belmore	2	3	5	16	25	7
NS-Inter	1	2	7	9	23	4
Polonia	1	1	6	11	24	3
Gladesville	0	1	8	8	23	1

SECOND DIVISION
(Second Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Ku-ring-gai	6	2	1	23	11	14
Belmore	5	3	1	18	6	13
Toongabbie	4	4	0	11	3	12
Gladesville	2	6	0	11	7	10
Guildford	3	4	2	12	11	10
Marrickville	2	4	3	17	18	8
Melita	3	2	4	14	16	8
Warringah	3	2	4	13	15	8
Queens Park	3	2	5	15	24	8
NS-Inter	1	4	5	10	19	6
Polonia	2	1	6	10	19	5
Revesby W	1	2	4	9	13	4

SECOND DIVISION
(Third Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Ku-ring-gai	10	0	0	38	3	20
Belmore	6	3	1	25	17	15
Guildford	6	1	2	19	12	13
Gladesville	6	0	2	23	10	12
NS-Inter	4	3	4	15	19	11
Warringah	3	3	3	14	17	9
Polonia	3	2	4	9	13	8
Marrickville	3	0	6	13	22	6
Toongabbie	0	5	3	7	11	5
Revesby	2	0	5	7	16	4
Melita	1	1	7	11	23	3
Queens Park	1	1	8	6	23	3

THIRD DIVISION
(First Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Blacktown	9	1	0	32	2	19
Bondi Marines	5	4	2	21	18	14
Gladesv. Rav.	4	5	2	18	11	13
Nepean	5	3	3	22	17	13
Port Hacking	5	2	3	23	19	12
Uni NSW	5	0	4	17	14	10
Campbelltown	3	4	4	15	20	10
Yagoona	3	2	3	13	13	8
Riverstone	3	1	7	17	21	7
Wenty War	3	1	6	13	20	7
West Ryde	3	0	6	10	21	6
Lethbridge	1	1	9	10	30	3

THIRD DIVISION
(Second Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Nepean	8	1	2	33	12	17
Uni NSW	7	2	1	30	9	16
Gladesv. Rav.	6	3	2	25	12	15
Bondi Marines	5	3	3	20	14	13
West Ryde	5	3	3	18	15	13
Yagoona	6	0	3	14	7	12
Port Hacking	5	2	4	26	25	12
Riverstone	4	2	8	18	26	10
Blacktown	3	2	5	11	15	8
Lethbridge	2	1	9	7	28	5
Campbelltown	1	2	8	14	27	4
Wenty War	1	1	10	12	34	3

THIRD DIVISION
(Third Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Uni NSW	9	1	0	33	2	19
West Ryde	8	3	0	29	8	19
Port Hacking	7	2	2	22	14	16
Wenty War	6	3	2	27	14	15
Gladesv. Rav.	4	4	3	22	20	12
Nepean	4	3	4	16	13	11
Riverstone	4	3	5	16	22	11
Lethbridge	3	2	7	9	23	8
Yagoona	3	1	5	13	17	7
Campbelltown	3	0	8	10	35	6
Blacktown	2	0	8	9	16	4
Bondi Marines	1	0	10	7	29	2

FOURTH DIVISION
(First Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Dee Why	10	0	2	33	14	20
Ryde District	8	1	3	24	13	17
Lane Cove	8	0	4	24	15	16
Bathurst	6	3	3	26	16	15
Baulkham Hills	7	1	4	25	21	15
Sydney Uni	4	6	2	21	19	14
Padstow	6	0	5	24	19	12
North Bankstown	2	4	6	21	27	8
Greenwich	3	2	7	20	26	8
Artarmon	2	3	6	13	23	7
Holroyd	2	2	8	16	41	6
Chelsea	1	2	9	13	28	4

FOURTH DIVISION
(Second Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Baulkham Hills	8	2	2	27	11	18
Dee Why	8	2	2	21	9	18
North Bankstown	7	3	2	31	15	17
Ryde District	7	2	3	33	15	16
Artarmon	5	1	5	24	24	11
Sydney Uni	5	1	6	18	19	11
Holroyd	4	2	6	19	25	10
Lane Cove	3	4	5	14	23	10
Bathurst	4	1	7	22	22	9
Greenwich	3	3	6	13	13	9
Padstow	3	1	7	12	27	7
Chelsea	3	0	9	14	44	6

FIFTH DIVISION
(First Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Fairfield Kiev	8	2	1	30	12	18
Ashcroft	9	0	2	25	13	18
Kingsford	5	3	4	27	22	13
Hurstville	6	1	4	28	25	13
Maroubra	5	1	3	19	1[illegible]	11
Auburn Jun.	4	3	4	15	16	11
Belfield	3	4	4	20	18	10
Eastwood	3	3	5	20	21	9
Revesby Rov.	4	1	4	22	28	9
North Rocks	3	2	7	18	32	8
West St Geo	2	1	7	16	30	5
Concordia	0	4	7	18	27	4

FIFTH DIVISION
(Second Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
North Rocks	8	1	2	36	11	17
Ashcroft	8	1	2	28	14	17
West St Geo	7	2	2	25	11	16
Kingsford	6	3	3	19	14	15
Auburn Jun.	4	5	2	9	7	13
Eastwood	5	2	4	17	20	12
Maroubra	4	3	2	16	12	11
Fairfield Kiev	4	1	6	13	17	9
Concordia	4	1	7	16	21	9
Belfield	3	3	5	15	22	9
Revesby Rov	0	1	8	8	32	1
Hurstville	0	1	10	8	38	1

SIXTH DIVISION
(First Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Macquarie Uni	8	3	0	34	12	19
Paddington	9	1	1	25	9	19
Bonnyrigg	8	1	1	37	13	17
North Ryde	6	0	4	34	19	12
West Holroyd	5	2	4	24	16	12
Camden	5	0	5	17	13	10
Haberfield	5	0	4	13	16	10
Canley Hths	4	1	4	16	17	9
Green Valley	3	1	5	16	35	7
South Districts	2	1	9	9	37	5
Prospect	1	0	9	12	35	2

SIXTH DIVISION
(Second Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Paddington	9	1	1	38	10	19
Macquarie Uni	8	0	3	32	13	16
West Holroyd	7	2	2	21	15	16
North Ryde	7	1	2	22	9	15
Bonnyrigg	7	1	2	22	15	15
Camden	5	1	4	17	17	11
Prospect	4	1	5	21	25	9
Canley Hths	3	2	3	16	17	8
Green Valley	3	0	6	14	18	6
Haberfield	2	0	7	11	27	4
South Districts	1	1	8	7	37	3

SEVENTH DIVISION
(First Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Eastern Creek	10	1	0	41	15	21
Fairfield West	7	2	2	45	15	16
Pagewood	8	0	4	21	20	16
Moorebank	7	0	4	25	15	14
Hawkesbury	6	0	3	21	16	12
South Sydney	5	1	5	26	28	11
Greystanes	4	2	4	18	24	10
Liverpool	3	3	3	20	23	9
Emu Plains	3	2	5	16	23	8
Normanhurst	3	0	8	13	39	6
Lakemba	2	1	7	15	38	5

SEVENTH DIVISION
(Second Grade)

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Moorebank	10	0	1	40	8	20
Fairfield West	8	2	1	43	14	18
Eastern Creek	7	2	2	22	8	16
Lakemba	4	3	3	27	20	11
Greystanes	5	1	4	16	19	11
Pagewood	5	1	5	15	21	11
Liverpool	4	2	5	19	25	10
Emu Plains	4	2	4	16	32	10
Hawkesbury	3	2	4	21	20	8
South Sydney	3	2	6	12	34	8
Normanhurst	1	1	9	9	26	3

NORTHERN NSW

Ladders as of June 19:

FIRST DIVISION

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Weston	9	0	2	29	12	18
Adamstown	8	2	2	28	12	18
West Wall.	7	3	2	26	15	17
Tor. Awaba	7	0	4	30	17	14
Edgeworth	7	0	4	26	24	14
Wallsend	5	3	3	24	17	13
Austral Unit	3	4	5	20	32	10
Cardiff	4	1	5	14	15	9
Lake Mac.	3	3	5	14	18	9
High. Azz.	3	2	6	13	19	8
Cen. Coast	3	0	9	17	33	6
Maitland	0	0	12	9	36	0

SECOND DIVISION

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Cessnock	9	1	1	34	11	19
Bel. Swans	7	3	2	25	17	17
Charlestown	7	2	3	22	14	16
Lambton	6	2	4	17	17	14
Jesmond	5	2	5	22	17	12
New Lamb.	5	2	5	24	28	12
Belmont	5	2	5	19	23	12
St Lloyds	4	3	5	19	22	11
West Lakes	4	1	6	18	21	9
University	4	1	7	14	24	9
Mayfield	1	3	7	14	25	5
Ray. Terrace	1	2	8	12	21	4

THIRD DIVISION

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Gosford Ran.	9	3	1	68	22	21
Beresfield	10	1	2	38	25	21
Ham. Red.	7	3	1	29	8	17
Kahibah	6	3	4	29	27	15
Kurri Kurri	4	6	3	26	22	14
Kotara South	5	2	5	27	20	12
Cooks Hill	6	0	6	25	21	12
South Cardiff	3	4	5	21	23	10
Cardiff Rail.	3	3	6	26	42	9
Merewether	3	2	7	18	25	8
Stockton	3	2	8	17	41	8
Muswellbrook	0	1	11	5	53	1

FOURTH DIVISION

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Swansea Work.	11	2	0	80	20	24
Doyalson RSL	9	2	0	51	13	20
Lambton Ran.	8	2	3	45	18	18
Tech. Coll.	8	1	3	35	15	17
Dudley/Red	7	3	2	35	18	17
Warners Bay	8	1	3	41	31	17
Ham. Inter	8	0	4	47	16	16
Kearsley	8	0	3	33	18	16
Wallsend Rov.	7	1	5	35	24	15
Cardiff Work.	6	3	4	34	26	15
Newcastle Oly.	5	3	5	51	30	13
Garden Subs	4	2	5	35	31	10
Charl. Hot.	5	0	7	19	31	10
Nelson Bay	4	2	6	22	45	10
Singleton	2	2	9	21	47	6
Heaton Park	1	3	8	16	33	5
Rutherford	1	2	10	16	49	4
South Wall.	2	0	10	17	53	4
Valentine	1	1	9	18	74	3
Morisset	0	2	9	10	69	2

TASMANIA

TASMANIA NORTH: Georgetown 0 Devonport 4, Northern 1 St Leonards 2, Launceston U 10 Olympic 0, Ulverstone 6 Matric 1, Launceston 0 Spartans 1.

TASMANIA SOUTH: University 0 Eagles 3, Rapid 2 Juventus 2, Olympia 3 Metro 1, South Hobart 1 Croatia 2, Calies 1 Dnipro 1.

STH. AUST.

STATE LEAGUE

Lion 1 (Kozuch) drew with Polonia 1 (Bozanic).

Para Hills 1 (MacDonald) drew with Azzurri 1 (Serafini).

Victoria 3 (Bell 2, Mitchell) d Campbelltown-Budapest 0.

Beograd 2 (Kambetner, Toner) d Croatia 1 (Jordan).

Elizabeth City 2 (Manolep 2) d Cumberland 1 (Pankhurst).

PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Victoria	7	2	2	23	15	16
Beograd	7	1	3	29	16	15
Polonia	6	3	2	18	11	15
Croatia	6	2	3	21	15	14
Azzurri	5	3	3	15	13	13
Lion	5	2	4	16	15	12
Elizabeth City	3	1	7	14	20	7
Cumberland	3	1	7	10	17	7
Para Hills	2	3	6	13	23	7
Campbelltown-Buda	1	2	8	8	22	4

DIVISION TWO: Noarlunga 3 Sth Adelaide 0, Munno 4 Woodville 0, Pt Adelaide 2 Salisbury 2, Don 0 Birkalla 5, Modbury 0 Windsor 0.

DIVISION THREE: Sturt 4 University 0, W Torrens 2 Flinders 1, Salet 7 Mitcham 1.

Sth Australian ladders as of June 20:

SECOND DIVISION

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Noarlunga Utd	6	3	1	23	11	15
Birkalla	6	3	1	24	13	15
Port Adelaide	5	4	1	24	11	14
Salisbury Utd	6	1	3	14	12	13
MP Apac	5	2	3	23	16	12
Modbury	3	2	5	21	21	8
Windsor Athletic	2	3	5	10	17	7
South Adelaide	2	2	6	15	29	6
Woodville Melita	1	3	6	13	23	5
Don Largs	2	1	7	8	22	5

THIRD DIVISION

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Orange Sturt	8	0	1	39	4	16
Adelaide Uni	7	0	1	19	6	14
WREI	4	2	3	19	13	10
SAIT	3	2	4	16	19	8
West Torrens	4	0	4	24	16	8
Flinders Uni	1	1	7	7	30	3
Mitcham	0	1	7	6	42	1

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Adel Uni Green	8	2	0	26	9	18
Torrens Blue	7	1	1	41	9	15
Graduates	6	1	2	33	18	13
Flinders Uni	6	0	3	39	18	12
Italian Students	5	1	3	43	18	11
Sturt College	4	2	3	25	21	10
Adel Uni Black	4	1	5	33	24	9
Adel Uni White	3	3	3	25	26	9
Adel Uni Red	4	0	5	36	39	8
Torrens Gold	3	1	5	16	30	7
SAIT	2	2	5	13	32	6
Orange Sturt	1	0	8	15	40	2
Adel Uni Blue	0	0	10	6	67	0

WEST. AUST.

DIVISION ONE: Azzurri 3 Ascot 1, Tricolore 3 Olympic 1, Athena 0 Dalmatinac 0, Kiev 7 Windmills 0.

DIVISION TWO: Sorrento 2 Bayswater 0, Canning 8 Alemania 1, Osborne Pk 0 Gosnells 1, Swan Ath 2 Macedonia 4, Cracovia 0 Perth City 0, Queens Pk 2 North Perth 3.

DIVISION THREE: Bedford U 4 Ashfield 0, Subiaco 2 Bassendean 5, Belmont 3 Swan Valley 2, Cockburn 0 Stirling U 0, Kelmscott 3 Northlands 2, University 1 Lathlain 3.

QUEENSLAND

DIVISION ONE (postponed from May 28): Richlands 2 Southside 3, Latrobe 3 Spencer Pk 1.

DIVISION TWO: Acacia Ridge 1 Coalstars 2, Gold Coast 4 Souths Utd 2, Mitchelton 0 Trident 1, Redcliffe 1 Thistle 2, Taringa 0 Sunnyside 4, Oxley 1 Valley 2.

OVERSEAS

BRAZIL

Brazil and Yugoslavia drew 0-0 in their friendly soccer match at Belo Horizonte. Attendance: 92,000.

This week's games

This week's national league and Victorian matches are listed below. Listen to Radio 3EA on Saturday and Sunday to fill in the results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE, Saturday

Canberra v. Brisbane Lions (Manuka Oval) (-)

Sunday

Foots J.U.S.T. v. Hakoah (Middle Park) (-)
Alexander v. Sth Melb Hellas (Olympic Pk) (-)
West Subs v. W. Adel Hellas (Englefield Stadium) (-)
Brisbane City v St. George (Perry Park) (-)
Adel Juventus v. Marconi (Olympic Field) (-)
Sydney Olympic v. Moorooolbark (Wentworth Pk) (-)

STATE LEAGUE Saturday

Juventus v. Polonia (Olympic Park) (-)

Sunday

Essendon Lions v. George Cross (Montgomery Park) (-)
Slavia v. Sunshine (Showgrounds, Ascot Vale) (-)
Frankston v. Ringwood (North Seaford Reserve) (-)
Altona v. Makedonia (Kim Reserve) (-)
GG Ajax v. Hakoah (Green Gully Reserve) (-)

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE Saturday

Division 1

Western Suburbs v. Waverley City (-)
Ardeer v. St. Albans (-)
Keilor City v. Springvale City (-)

Sunday

Dandenong v. Keilor-Austria (-)
Croydon City v. Box Hill (-)
Albion Rovers v. Melbourne (-)

Division II Saturday

South Melbourne Hellas v. Moreland (-)
Ball Park v. Moorooolbark United (-)
Richmond v. Footscray JUST (-)
Ferntree Gully v. Brighton (-)
Collingwood City v. Eltham (-)
Doveton v. Fitzroy-Alexander (-)

Division III Saturday

Yallourn v. Heidelberg (-)
Chelsea v. Prahran City (-)
Park Rangers v. Coburg (-)
Port Melbourne v. Moorabbin (-)
Knox City v. Ringwood United (-)
Essendon City v. Broadmeadows City

Division IV Saturday

Ballarat v. Caulfield City (-)
Sandringham City v. Rosebud (-)
Doncaster Rovers v. Morwell Falcons (-)
Mornington v. Monash University (-)
Clayton v. University of Melbourne (-)
South Yarra v. Corio (-)

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE Saturday

Division 1

Geelong v. Fawkner (-)
South Dandenong v. Frankston Pines (-)
Nunawading City v. Werribee (-)
Langwarrin v. Hotham United (-)
Greensborough v. Williamstown (-)
Central Altona v. Hamlyn Rangers (-)

Division 2

Melton v. Thomastown (-)
North Dandenong v. Keysborough (-)
East Brunswick v. West Melbourne (-)
Hawthorn v. Karingal (-)
Bulleen v. Carlton (-)
Burnley v. Sunbury (-)

DISTRICT LEAGUE Sunday

Division 1

Pascoe Vale v. South Oakleigh (-)
Gladstone Park v. Mordialloc (-)
Regent v. Nunawading United (-)
Sandown v. Royal Park (-)
Postal Institute v. Hampton (-)

Division 2

Boronia v. Carnegie (-)
Hawksburn v. Kensington (-)
North Melbourne v. Rosanna (-)
Monbulk v. Yarraville (-)
Wilfona v. Mitcham (-)

Division 3

Banksia v. Clifton Hill (-)
Ascot United v. Thornbury (-)
Stradbroke v. Berwick City (-)
Noble Park v. Croxton (-)
North Sunshine v. Diamond Creek (-)

Division 4

Balaclava v. Crescent United (-)
East Carlton v. Mossfield Rangers (-)
Frognall RAAF v. RMIT (-)
Clarinda v. Central Brunswick (-)
Latrobe University v. Cheltenham (-)

THIRDS COMPETITION Sunday

South Division

South Dandenong v. Frankston City (-)
Waverley City v. Frankston Pines (-)
Portsea OCS — Bye (-)
Chelsea v. Langwarrin (-)
Moorabbin v. Monash University (-)

East Division

Caulfield City v. Sandringham City (-)
Doveton v. Doncaster Rovers (-)
Croydon City v. Williamstown (-)
Clayton v. Brighton (-)
Monash University v. Knox City (-)

West Division

Broadmeadows City v. Hotham United (-)
Fawkner v. Richmond (-)
University of Melbourne v. Hamlyn Rangers (-)
Collingwood City v. Sunbury (-)
Greensborough v. Coburg (-)

UNDER 20s COMPETITION Sunday

University of Melbourne v. Hakoah St.Kilda 'B' (-)
Springvale City — Bye
Hakoah St. Kilda 'A' v. Morwell Falcons (-)
Doncaster Rovers v. Army Apprentices (-)

NORTH EASTERN SOCCER LEAGUE Sunday

Shepp City v. Kyabram (-)
Cobram v. Benalla (-)
Shepp United v. Tatura (-)
Lemnos v. Shepp South (-)

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE Sunday

Division 1

Pegasus v. Melbourne Meats (-)
RACV v. Ford Falcons (-)
Repco Richmond v. Kodak United (-)
Tarax v. McColl Dynamo 'A' (-)
W.D & H.O Wills v. Bowater Scott (-)

Division 2

ACI Box Hill v. T.A.A. (-)
Anstett v. ANZ Bank 'A' (-)
Middle Park VRI 'A' v. Philip Morris (-)
Public Works 'A' v. Siemens 'A' (-)
Sperry Vickers v. Bosch (-)

PLAVI OPRAVDALI POVERENJE

ZIKA NIKOLIC

Iako je Marconi katastrofalno prazio Aleksandra u Melburnu, malo je ko verovao da Raletov tim može ponoviti slican podvig protiv JUST-a na svom terenu u Sidneju. Da u nogometu ima pravila, kako se je igra odvijala prosle nedelje, JUST je morao biti pobednik. A izgubio je oba boda:

- jer nije igrao Kazl zbog povrede,
- jer Marconii nikad ne bi dao gol, da Milne nije bez veze postigao autogol,
- jer je JUST imao nevidjeni peh pred protivnickom golom,
- jer je Rale vrlo dobar trener, ali jos bolji diplomata sa sudijama (Cirkovic to nije!).

A sve ovo sto smo nabrojali je deo igre, mozda najvaznlji. Ostalo je zapisano da je Marconi pobedio sa 1:0, a moralna pobeda je samo trenutno opravdanje.

Imao je JUST i drugih nezgoda. Strajk mehanicara i drugog osoblja pokvario je planirani put i odmor u Sidneju, tako da su plavi izletili na igraliste sa zgrcenim nogama. Put od aerodroma u Sidneju do Markonijevog igralista duze je trajao nego let od Melburna do Sidneja.

Utakmica je pocela u svecanom raspolozenju, us snaznu podrsku navijaca. JUST je smirio igru i naterao protivnika da trci za loptom. Kda se najmanje ocekivalo, Milne je u 15. minutu prevario svog golmana, jer je nepotrebno vratio loptu — 1:0 za Marconi. PLAVI su se za trenutak pokolebali, sto je iskoristio protivnik da navali. Stvorili su za to vreme samo jednu zrelu sansu.

Drugo poluvreme pripada potpuno "plavima", ali sudija koci igru, grexi na stetu gostiju. U jednom trenutku Rujevic se nasao u kaznenom prostoru, ali je zavrnuo loptu prema Mendi Ristovskom, jer je Richards napadao. Brzi pas je izbacio iz ravnoteze Richardsa pa kad je video da je nemocan, rukom je u padu sprecio da Ristovski dobije loptu. Sudija nije bas nista svirao. To je bila najteza, a bilo je jos mnogo drugih gresaka, koje su jos kako uticale na rezultat.

U NEDELJU NA MIDDLE PARKU

U nedelju JUST igra na Middle Parku protiv Hakoaha iz Sidneja, za koga kazu da je najbolji tim u Nacionalnoj ligi. Proslog puta je uz pomoc sudije pobedio JUST-a, ali ovog puta trebace mu mnogo veca pomoc. Po svoj prilici JUST ce biti pojacan sa novim igracima iz Jugoslavije. Nista nije sasvim sigurno, iako je dosao telegram. Zbog toga pratite dnevnu stampu i etnicke radio stanice.

DRZAVNA LIGA VIKTORIJE

Ove nedelje je vreme bilo gore nego prosle nedelje, ali ipak nije otkazana ni jedna utakmica Drzavne Lige. Kamo screce da jeste, jer je Makedonija dozivela najvecu katastrofu ove sezone. Jedino opravdanje za "crveno-crne" je igraliste prepuno vode, a oni se nisu spremali za vaterpolo vec nogomet. Snazniji i borbeniji Juventus je pobedio zasluzeno sa 5:0. Isto take je i Green Gully iskoristio blato i vodu da savlada Essendon Lionsa sa 1:0.

ZORAJA TRENER I STRELAC

Mladi tim JUST-a, koji se takmici u drugoj diviziji, igrao je lep i dopadljiv nogomet ali neefikasan. Bio je potreban samo jedan iskusan igrac da ovi talentovani momci pokazu i dobre rezultate. Od kako je Slobodan Zoraja postao trener i igrac dozivljavaju neugodna iznenadjenja vodeci na tabeli. Da bi izcupali jedan ili dva obda potrebna im je pomoc sudije. Tako je bilo u Ferntree Gully-u gde je domaci tim bio nepobediv do sada. Igraliste je prava mocvara, gde bi se tesko odigrala ragbi utakmica. Ali sudija je naredio da se igra i tu nema prigovora. Da nije bilo kise i blata pomislili bi JUST-ovi igraci da su usred Sahare, jer je nedaleko od igralista pasla prava kamila. Na puskomet daleko se ne vidi kuca a svlacionica se moze nazvati slobodno "vila promaja". Ali pravi sportista otrpi sve. Uostalom kako je jednima, tako i drugima.

Protivu snaznih, borbenih i dosta prljavih (bez blata) domacina, JUST-ovi igraci su upotrebili tehniku i driblinge sa dosta uspeha. U 65. minutu Jan Kalmar je idealno centrirao, Zoraja je uleteo izmedju dva igraca i neodbranjivo zatresao mrezu. Deset minuta kasnije sudija je izbacio Misu Ristica, sto je opsovao igraca koji ga je podmuklo udario. Zanimljivo, pre toga je sudija pokazao samo zuti karton domacem igracu kad je njega opsovao. Sa igracem manje i sudijom koji je dozvolio grubu igru zadnjih deset minuta, JUST nije mogao da sacuva netaknutu mrezu. Utakmica se zavrsila 1:P1. Idealno za sportsku prognozu!

DVA BODA INTERU

Novi trener Intera Tomislav Kovac pomogao je "belima" dobrim savetima da pod vrlo teskim uslovima pobede Hamlyn Rangers u Geelongu sa 2:1 (1:0). Golove su postigli Zvonko Bartoli i Marko Ivanovic. Svi su igraci igrali podjednako dobro i zadovoljili su trenera, jer su brzo shvatili nacin igre koji im je objasnio pre pocetka. Sastav Intera: Volasi, Milosavljevic, Najdek, Madi, Beker, Drozdek, Dovic, Belurov, Ivanovic, Bartol, Cetinic.

Carlton/Srbija je ostavila bodove u Sunbury-u, iako je igrala bolje najveci deo utakmice. Navala nije bila ostra i precizna, a odbrana nista nije mogla protiv loseg sudije. Priznao je gol iz ofsajda, a drugi isto nije bio pravilan, jer je lopta upicena iz kornera bila van igralista. Greske su mogle da se isprave kasnije da navala nije oklevala. Strelci: Stoilovic iz penala i Veljovic. Sunbury je pobedio sa 3:2 (2:0) u glavnoj igri, dok je rezerva Carltona dobila sa 3:1. Zanimljivo je da su pet igraca iz porazene rezerve Sunbury-a igrali za pobednicki prvi tim bez odmora! Sastav CArltona: Seles, Okovic, Ceranic, Djordjevic, Dodig, Stojnic, Krnic, Bjelogrlic, Stoilovic, Velickovic (Savkov), Veljovic.

Iduce nedelje INTER gostuje u Greensborough-u, a Carlton u Buleen-u.

PEGAZUS UBEDLJIVO PRVI

Zbog blata i vode odiozene su amaterske utakmice, ali ne industriske lige. PEGAZUS je savladao svog glavnog suparnika McCall Dinama, sa kojim je delio prvo mesto. Ali ne vise, jer su dobili derbi utakmicu sa 1:0 (0:0). Zanimljivo je da je jedini zgoditak, koji je doneo Pegazusu dva boda, postigao Ivan Smrcek. Zamjenio je na poluvremenu Stanovica, a jos prosle nedelje je nosio dres McCalla. Sastav Pegazusa: Kurjan 8, Harris 7, Skorupski 7, Muri 7, Petelnik 7, Sabljak 6, Stanovic 6 (Smrcek 7), Fus 6, M. Placko 7, V. Ovcar 6.

KODAK je pobedio TARAX sa 3:2 (1:0), jer je tim "limunade" igrao bez glavnih "sifona" Cirkovica, Kazlja, Brkica i Milanovica. Tarax je ipak zadovoljan, jer je dobio veliko pojacanje u Aci Todorovicu, koji igra kao humani torpedo. Sastav Taraxa: Toby Ross 6, Mitrovic 5, R. Kressinger 6, Rankovic 6, Davis 5, Mladenovic 6, Kostromin 5, Kosovac 6, Adamovic 5, Jakovincic 5, Todorovic 6. Strelci: Mladen Kresinger i Milos Adamovic.

TRECI TIM INTERA

Treci tim Intera, koji ima bazu u Springvalu, zabelezio je jos jednu visoku pobedu. Ovog puta nad Monash-om sa 5:1. Strelci: Dragan Janjic u 14. i 62. minutu, Milenko Culibrk u 30. i 52. minutu, autogol u 40. minutu. Sastav Intera: Zdenko Mecanovic, Paunov, Busija, Hitko Kaim (Zvonko Mecanovic), Gajdosik, Jelicic, Matic, Culibrk, Janjic, Miljkovic (Kulpinac), Kemal Kaim. Najbolji igraci: Milenko Culibrk, Stanislav Gajdovski, Kemal Kaim.

DUGINO JE ZADOVOLJAN

Kad kog se pojavi zvanicni sudija na JUST-ovom igralistu, trener junora Pepe Dugino zadovoljno trlja ruke. Protivnik ne moze da protestvuje iako JUST-ovi malisani pobede sa velikim rezultatom. Tako je bilo i ovog puta. Dosao je sudija i JUST ispod 13 pregazio je Essendon/Lions sa 6:0 (4:0). Strelci: Dragan Trkulja 2, Mik Cvetkovski 2, Rajko Trkulja i Argo Redzep. Sastav JUST-a: Josip Rak, Z. Nastevski, A. Redzep, J. Gagic, T. Karic, S. Dimovski, M. Oblak, M. Cvetkovski, R. Trkulja (D. Milenkovic), B. Skubevski (S. Milenkovic), D. Trkulja.

Ispod 15 godina: Altona — J.U.S.T. 0:0. Najbolji igraci za JUST: Lubo Talevski, Oscar Crino, Josip Rak, Brakno Mitrovic i Stojce Stojcevski.

TICKETS SELLING FOR THE SUPER SOCCER SERIES

Pre-selling of tickets for the international tournament between Australia, Red Star, Celtic and Arsenal will start on Friday.

The prices — between $4 and $10 — are quite reasonable considering the huge cost involved in staging the series.

In Melbourne, the covered standing area on the dog track side of Olympic Park will be fenced off to provide a covered section not as expensive as the main grandstand.

Tickets are available from the following locations:

IN MELBOURNE: Olympic Park and agencies including Celebrity Services and Soccer City Sports Store, 129 Grey Street, St. Kilda.

IN SYDNEY: NSW Soccer Federation office, Australian Soccer Federation office and agencies including Grace Brothers, David Jones and Mitchells.

IN ADELAIDE: South Australia Soccer Federation, Hindmarsh Stadium and agencies.

Admission prices (add 40 cents fee if booking through agencies) are:

IN MELBOURNE,

Celtic v. Red Star, Thursday July 21, 8.15 pm: $9 grandstand; $6 covered area; $5 outer; children $3 outer only.

Australia v Red Star, Thursday July 28; 8.15 pm; $9, $5, $4; children $2 outer. The final, Sunday July 31; 3 pm $9, $7, $5, children $3 outer.

IN SYDNEY:

Arsenal v. Australia, Wednesday July 20; 8 pm. (Sports Ground): Turner, Federal & New stands $8, seating $6; outer $5; children $3 outer.

Arsenal v. Celtic (Cricket Ground) Sunday July 24, 3.pm. Bradman, and Noble top decks and Sheridan covered area $9; Brewongle and Sheridan uncovered areas $7; outer $5; children $3 outer.

Celtic v. Australia (Sports Ground) Tuesday July 26; 8 pm; $8 stands; $6 seating; $4 outer; children $2 outer.

IN ADELAIDE:

Red Star v. Arsenal (Hindmarsh Stadium), Tuesday July 26; 8 pm: grandstand $10; enclosure $7; outer $5; children $3 outer.

Alan Vest goes North

Alan Vest, former New Zealand international and Western Australian coaching director, has been appointed director of coaching for Northern NSW.

Vest returned recently from England were he was assistant to former Australian national coach **Brian Green** at Rochdale.

After captaining the New Zealand national team, Vest coached the Western Australian State team to a victory over Glasgow Rangers, a draw with Middlesbrough and a narrow loss to Manchester United.

Vest left Australia after the disappointment of missing out on the national coach's position that went to **Jim Shoulder** after the departure of Green.

Vest has gone to Newcastle on the understanding that Northern NSW has a chance of getting into the national league.

If that chance disappears, Vest will go elsewhere. That "escape clause" is written into his contract with the Norther NSW Federation.

„CRVENA ZVEZDA"

Red Star Belgrade, standing from left: Kajganic, Savic, Lukic, Jelikic, Muslin, Filipovic, Jovanovic, Bogicevic, Stojanovic. Front: Radovic, Baralic, Sestic, Stamenkovic, Novkovic, Nikolic, Babic.

"PADDOCK" RULED OUT AS VENUE

The Sydney matches in the international tournament between Arsenal, Celtic, Red Star and Australia, have been shifted from the Sydney Showgrounds to the Cricket Ground and Sports Ground.

Tournament promoter **Reg Lambourne** said: "The pitch at the Showground is in a deplorable state.

"They had promised to improve it but as nothing was done, we had to switch venues.

"It'll be a bigger financial risk at the Cricket Ground and the Sports Ground because they do not have as much covered seating.

"However, you can't have a soccer showcase on a paddock. We'd be a laughing stock."

The Sports Ground will be used for the mid-week matches Arsenal v. Australia and Celtic v. Australia and the Cricket Ground will be the venue for Celtic v. Arsenal.

KICKING COMPETITION

A penalty kicking competition for under 14s will be run in conjunction with the international tournament between Arsenal, Australia, Red Star and Celtic in July.

Boys will compete against each other in Sydney, Melbourne and Adelaide before each match and the winners will advance to the final in Melbourne on July 31.

The boys to compete before the Celtic v. Red Star game in Melbourne on July 21 are: Nigel Bent (Overport), Rainer Vogel (Moreland), John Coutts (Albion Rovers), Wayne Sieves (Watsonia), Paul Moore (Broadmeadows) and Tony Zihra (Sunshine Heights).

Competitors for the second Melbourne game, between Red Star and Australia on July 28, are:

Gary Charlton (Peninsula), Sean Coulter (Waverley), Simon Kirby (Box Hill), Eddie Debois (Seaford), Stewart Evans (Croydon), Ian Watson (Melton).

The boys will take their penalties against the senior goalkeepers of Red Star, Celtic, Arsenal and Australia.

Each boy will take five kicks and in case of a tie, there will be a sudden-death kick-off.

PETER GEORGIOU of the 'Hellenic Herald'

Τήν περασμένη Κυριακή τελείωσε ὁ 1ος γύρος τοῦ πρώτου ἐθνικοῦ πρωταθλήματος τῆς Αὐστραλίας.

Θά μπορούσαμε νά ποῦμε ὅτι εἶχε ἐπιτυχία σὲ ὡρισμένους τομεῖς ἐνῶ σέ ἄλλους ἀν δὲν ἀπέτυχε τοὐλάχιστον ἔδειξε ὅτι χρειάζεται ἀκόμη πολύ δουλειά.

Ἀπό τίς ἐπιτυχίες τοῦ πρώτου ἐθνικοῦ πρωταθλήματος εἶναι ἀπεδοδήποτε ὁ ἀριθμός φιλάθλων πού παρακολούθησαν τούς ἀγῶνες. μάλιστα ἡ Μελβούρνη ἔκανε ρεκόρ μὲ 15.000 στόν ἀγώνα της μὲ τήν Σαίντ Τζώρτζ ὁ ὁποῖος χαρακτηρίστηκε «μονομαχία» τῶν δύο Ἄγγλων σούπερ - στάρ Μάλκολμ Μακ-Ντόναλντ καί Τσάρλυ Τζώρτζ οἱ ὁποῖοι ἦταν καί οἱ... «Γκέστ Στάρ» τῶν ὁμάδων.

Ἄλλη μία ἐπιτυχία τοῦ πρωταθλήματος ἦταν ἡ παρουσίαση τῶν ὁμάδων μιᾶς πολιτείας στήν ἄλλη καί ἡ γνωριμία τους μὲ τούς φιλάθλους καί ὁπαδούς τῶν τοπικῶν ὁμάδων. Εἴχαμε τήν εὐκαιρία νά διακρίνου με ἀρκετά ταλέντα μέσα στίς ὁμάδες, ὅπως εἴχαμε τήν εὐκαιρία νά διαπιστώσουμε τήν προχειρότητα μὲ τήν ὁποία γίνεται ἡ ἐκλογή τῆς ἐθνικῆς ὁμάδας τῆς ὁποίας οἱ ἐκλέκτορες ἀγνοοῦν πολλά ταλέντα.

Ἐπίσης σὲ ἐπιτυχία πρόκειται νά καταλήξει ἡ ἀλλαγή τοῦ προγράμματος τῆς λήψεως καί ἀναμεταδόσεως ἀγώνων ἀπό τήν τηλεόραση.

Τό Σάββατο ἦταν καταδικασμένο σὲ ἀποτυχία τόσο σὲ ἀπό δοση ἀγώνων καί ἀριθμοῦ φιλάθλων ὅσο καί σὲ ἀκροαματικότητα. Ἡ ἀλλαγή στήν Κυριακή ὅσον ἀφορᾶ τήν λήψη καί στήν Δευτέρα ὅσον ἀφορᾶ τήν ἀναμετάδωση ἦταν προτιμώτερη λύση. Θά μποροῦσε αὐτή ἡ στήλη νά ὑπερηφανευτῆ ὅτι ἐπαιξε ἕναν πολύ μικρό ρόλο σ' αὐτή τήν ἀλλαγή ὅταν κριτικάρησε τήν ἀπόφαση γιά τό Σάββατο.

Παρά τίς ἐπιτυχίες ὅμως οἱ διοργανωτές δὲν ἀπέφυγαν καί τίς ἀποτυχίες οἱ ὁποῖες φυσικὸν εἶναι νά ὑπάρχουν σέ κάθε καινούργια προσπάθεια. Μία ἀπό αὐτές ἦταν ἡ ἀνικανότητα γιά τόν προγραμματισμό τῶν ἀγώνων. Οἱ ὁμάδες ἀναγκάστηκαν ἀρκετές φορές νά παίξουν σὲ γήπεδα ἀκατάλληλα, τά ἴδια γήπεδα πού οἱ δι οργανωτές ἔβγαλαν ἀκατάλληλα στίς ἀρχές τοῦ πρωταθλήματος. Ἀποτέλεσμα αὐτῆς τῆς ἀνωμαλίας ἦταν κατ' ἀρχήν ἡ τα λαιπωρία τῶν φιλάθλων πού ἀκόμη πρίν τήν ἔναρξη τῶν ἀγώνων δὲν ἤξεραν πού θά παίξει ἡ ὁμάδα τους μὲ συνέπεια νά παρακολουθήσουν ἕνα ἀγώνα περίπου τρι κόσιοι φίλαθλοι.

Ἀπό τά γήπεδα τῆς Μελβούρνης τουλάχιστον γιά τήν ὥρα φαίνεται ὅτι μόνον ἕνα εἶναι ἐν ἐνεργεία καί αὐτό εἶναι τό Μίντλ Πάρκ. Στό Ὀλυμπικ Πάρκ ἔγιναν μόνο τρεῖς ἀγῶνες καί τέλος. Ὅπως φαίνεται γιά τήν Μελβούρνη τουλάχιστον ὁ 6ος γύρος θά συνεχιστῆ στό Μίντλ Πάρκ καί ἄν εἶναι «τυχεροί» οἱ φίλαθλοι ἴσως ἀναγκασθοῦν νά πάνε μιά ἐκδρομή στό «Ἔστερ Πάρκ» τό γήπεδο τοῦ Μούρουλμπαρκ.

Ἡ μεγαλύτερη ἀποτυχία ὅμως τῶν διοργανωτῶν τοῦ ἐθνικοῦ πρωταθλήματος ἦταν ἡ προσπάθειά τους ν' ἀλλάξουν τά ὀνόματα τῶν ὁμάδων γιά νά προσελκύσουν τούς Αὐστραλούς στά γήπεδα... Ἡ ὅλη προσπάθεια κατέληξε σέ ἄνοστο ἀστεῖο καί κοκκίνησαν τά μάγουλα αὐτῶν πού συνέλαβαν τήν ἰδέα ὅταν ἀκόμη καί ἕνας θέρος Ἄγγλος σούπερ στάρ ὁ Μακντόναλντ δὲν ἀποκαλοῦσε τήν ὁμάδα πού τόν φιλοξενοῦσε («Σάουθ Μέλμπουρν») ἀλλά («Ἑλλάς») διότι ὅπως τόνισε ὁ ἴδιος τό ὄνομα μιᾶς ὁμάδος εἶναι αὐτό μὲ τό ὁποῖο ἔχει ἱδρυθεῖ καί μὲ τό ὁποῖο τήν ἀποκαλοῦν οἱ ὀπαδοί της. Εἶναι σίγουρο ὅτι θά ἔχουν πλέον ἀν τιληφθῆ οἱ ὑπεύθυνοι ὅτι αὐτό πού τραβάει φιλάθλους στά γήπεδα δὲν εἶναι τό «ἀγγλοποιημένο» πρόγραμμα τῆς ὁμάδας ἀλλά ἡ ποιότητα τοῦ ποδοσφαίρου πού παρουσιάζει.

Οἱ 15.000 φίλαθλοι στό Μίντλ Πάρκ δὲν πῆγαν διότι ὁ κ. Τζών Φράνκ θέλησε ν' ἀλλάξουν τά ὀνόματα τῶν ὁμάδων ἀλλά διότι ἔπαιζαν μέσα δύο σούπερ στάρ καί διότι ἐπρόκειτο γιά ἕναν πολύ καλό ἀγώνα μεταξύ τῆς Ἑλλάς καί Βουδαπέστης.

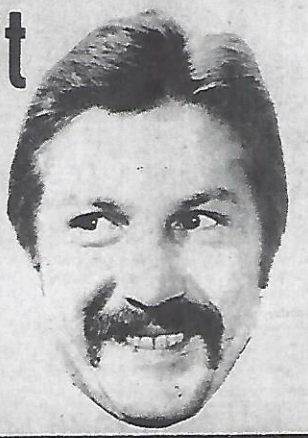
Εἴπαμε ὅμως ὅτι κάθε ἀρχή καί δύσκολη καί ὅτι τά σφάλματα εἶναι ἀναπόφευκτα σὲ κάθε προσπάθεια γιά διοργάνωση μιᾶς ἐκδηλώσεως ὅπως τό ἐθνικό πρωτάθλημα Αὐστραλίας.

Ἄς ἐλπίσουμε ὅτι μετά τό τέλος καί τοῦ 2ου γύρου οἱ ὑπεύθυνοι θά ἔχουν διδαχτεῖ ἀρκετά πράγματα ἀπό τό πρωτάθλημα καί ὅ τι θά μπορέσουν νά θάλουν σὲ ἐφαρμογή τίς ἀποτυχίες στό ἑπόμενο ἐθνικό πρωτάθλημα.

Π. Γεργίου

It's winter-but don't tell the referees!

It seems to be a Pavlovian fact of response that if one entrusts a uniform to a member of homo sapien, said creature turns into either Jeckyll's Hyde, Ford's Nadar or a mother-in-law.



KNUT WERNER

Such a transformation took place at St. Albans' Green Gully reserve last Saturday.

In my capacity as godfather, I was called out to see a member of the under nines play against Sunshine Heights.

Prior to my arrival, dedicated fathers had already worked hard and strewn the ground's bald patches with sawdust.

But on my arrival, all the traffic from the ground was coming towards me.

Hello, I said, this was either the fastest game of soccer in Australia or my alarm clock was again keeping Perth time.

But both hypotheses were wrong. The game had been called off. So, being stupid, I enquired as to the reason for this calling off.

"It's too wet," came the cry from half a dozen disappointed half-pint soccer players.

"Oh, great goanna droppings," I replied, "The sun's out. You're nothing but a bunch of fairies."

"We are not a bunch of fairies," came the reply, accompanied by spittle and bits of hard mud. "The ref. said it was too wet to play."

So here was the real answer. The REFEREE had declared that the ground was to wet to play on.

And who was this referee to tell under nine-year-olds that the ground was too wet to play on?

Some authoritative kid hovering around puberty and far too young to distinguish the difference between what is too wet for an international FIFA competition and a match between enthuslastic youngsters.

I will concede that in howling winds, interspersed with great flashes of lightning and water coming up to the navel, a very few people would send out little soccer players, but stopping a game because they are going to get mud under their little shoes or soil their little shorts when falling over, this is taking the dubious responsibility of refereeing a trifle too far.

If anyone should object, it should be mothers who have to clean the mess up afterwards.

Now has anybody everheard of a kid who found mud to wet to play in?

Has anyone ever heard of a kid who understands FIFA logic when he has his heart set on playing once a week?

Has anyone ever wanted to kick a smart-arse teenager in said smart-arse?

But then again, from an objective point of view, this puberty-confused referee was not that dumb.

If your job was to roll in peanut butter every weekend and you discovered that you would be paid whether you rolled or not, would you not, not roll?

So if you got your money whether the game went on or not, would you not, not let the game go on and go home dry and paid?

Mind you this ref. is going to have some difficulty keeping this style up every week.

Someone is going to find out sooner or later that it is winter!

The chances of rain in winter are higher than the chances of no rain.

But the man with the uniform has the say, whether that say goes against the wishes of the majority, against the wishes of the parents and against the wishes of those who don't mind getting wet and dirty.

What a tiring world this would be if one's sex partner wore a uniform.

AJAX CHASES TWO TITLES

State League newcomer Green Gully Ajax may not be in the running for the senior championship, but its juniors are up there with the best.

Two of Ajax's junior teams are in the running for titles — the under 15s, coached by former Ajax star Charlie Vella, and the under nines, coached by Charlie Venes.

The Under 9s (above) standing from left: Russell Goodman, John Grimaud, Mike Witkowski, Jeff Aquilina, Charles Sant, Adam Schwab, Jamie Watkinson, Matthew Dean, Livio Todero, Andrew Artmeniou, Serge Pratesi, Tony Hale. Front: Paul Vasjuta, Nick Sarris, David Venes, David Roach, Frank Spiteri, Peter Abdila, Mark Grimaud, Warren Roach, Jim Magro, Brian Spiteri, Sean Regan, Jason Schwab. Inset: Tony Mullan.

The Under 15s (above right) pictured from left are: back row: Fred Schiberras (manager), Joe Spiteri, Mike Spiteri, Graham Fowler, Graham Hynes, Doug Redpath, John Attard, Charlie Vella (coach). Front: Charlie Xeureb, Robbie Sutherland, John Gazalis, Lino Grech, Joe Sciberras, Steve Fenech, John Zeestraten, Ray Vassallo.

Supermac in Valley

The Latrobe Valley Soccer League brought Malcolm Macdonald to Morwell for a coaching clinic and more than 250 juniors and many more senior players turned up.

"Supermac" showed the soccer followers just how good he is. Malcolm has a special gift with children and the whole session was covered by local TV and press.

The LVSL has been showing country areas what promoting soccer is all about.

Why compete with 'Rules'

A view from the junior ranks
BY LEIF JENSEN

For years we have been trying to get more people to watch our soccer matches and we have been battling to get the big newspapers to cover our games properly.

Our biggest opposition must be Aussie Rules, so to play any important soccer games at the same time is rather silly.

The obvious thing would be to stage national league matches and all international matches under lights on a Saturday night.

But the lights are not good enough for the game to be televised, you say, but that surely could be fixed up.

Also the adverts in the daily papers before a big soccer game are a joke. We should be selling the game, not merely advertising it.

They are so dull that the correct place for these ads. would be in the funeral columns.

I think the VSF could learn a lesson from Kerry Packer and his cricket circus, because I for one have no doubt that he will fill the stands when he finally turns it on.

Let's see if we can't get some headlines in the papers this time; something like: Jim Shoulder saying "By golly we are going to try really hard to win. At least we have the Home Ground advantage," or the Celtic captain saying "We will make meat pie with sauce out of the Aussies" or perhaps the Arsenal manager stating: "Our guns are loaded; just watch those falling stars" and last but not least the Red Star goalkeeper yelling: "Me Tarzan, all deze fellers Janes".

No . . . No . . . no . . . that would never do, would it? No, because if we did, we might fill the stands at Olympic Park with footy fans, and then Barassi and Lou would sneak up to Soccer House the following night and break every window in the place, and then the people inside Soccer Castle would look out of the broken windows, and see skyscrapers and cars and boys who look like girls, and all of a sudden they might realise that a HUNDRED years have gone by without them noticing it, **AND THAT WOULD NEVER DO, WOULD IT?**

Memorable match for Port

Few junior teams can boast of having played in front of a 10,000 crowd. Port Melbourne under 12s had that honor when they beat Knox City 5-2 in the curtain-raiser to the Middlesbrough v. Victoria match at Olympic Park.

Port Melbourne is on top of the Yarra Under 12A ladder and has won its Cup games 8-0 against Mitcham and 6-0 against Karingal.

Once again, the team's goals are coming from **George Kalogeros** and **Joe Palatsides,** who had scored 34 of the team's 36 as we went to Press.

Port Melbourne's team is pictured above, before its big match at Olympic Park. Standing from left: Aki Kotzamichali, Chris Smirakes, Nick Papanicolaou, Jim Zeferemineou, Leo Theologou, Steve Halamboulis. Front from left: Michael Hamakiotis, George Kalogeros, Joe Palatsides, Memid Durakovic, Peter Tsolakis and Chris Hamakiotis.

They want under 8 games

Many junior clubs in the western suburbs must have under 8 players unable to get a game in the under 9 team.

One such club is Green Gully Ajax.

To give its own youngsters as well as youngsters from surrounding clubs a game, Ajax is eager to arrange a few five-a-side matches on a small pitch.

Ajax invites interested clubs from the western suburbs to ring Laurie on 600421 ext. 2661 or on 396 5621.

It is planned to have the games on Sunday mornings.

Philips League Club Directory

Check daily papers in case of fixtures changes.

ADELAIDE CITY JUVENTUS

GPO Box 1262L, Adelaide 5001

SPONSORED BY: Living Insurance and Living Travel.

PRESIDENT: Charlie Caruso Ph. 51 6740
SECRETARY: Carmine Picarello Ph. 337 0241
GROUND: Olympic Sports Field Kensington
COACH: Edmund Kreft
COLOURS: Black/white.

This week's match: V MARCONI at Olympic Sports Field (Adelaide) Sunday 3 pm.

BRISBANE CITY

P.O. Box 265 BROADWAY, BRISBANE 4001
Club Phone: 356 8834

Sponsored by Living Insurance and Alitalia Airlines

Teams: PSL seniors, First Division team Spencer Park United, 15 junior teams from under 6 to under 18.
PSL home ground: Perry Park (Queensland soccer headquarters).
First Division ground: Spencer Park, Newberry St., Newmarket.
Secretary: Guido Canale, 52 4711.
Coach: Iain Kesson

This week's match: V ST. GEORGE at Perry Park (Brisbane) Sunday 3 pm.

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BRISBANE LIONS

Address	The Coconut Grove, Lilac St., Inala. Phone 372 2891.
Secretary	Simon Boegheim Phone 372 2891.
Coach	Les Sheinflug.
1st Div. Coach	Julius Vincze.
Teams	PSL Brisbane Lions, Ground Perry Park, Abbotsford Rd., Mayne. Phone 52 5328.
1st Div. Team	Name: Richlands Windmills.
Ground	The Lions Stadium, Pine Rd., Richland. Phone 372 2989.
Colours	All orange with blue stripe.
Junior teams	20. From under 7 to under 18.

PLEASE SUPPORT THE LIONS WHEN IN YOUR CITY

This week's match: V CANBERRA CITY at Manuka Oval (Canberra) Saturday 3 pm.

CANBERRA CITY

Secretary	Hal Lesley 81 1313
Coach	Johnny Warren 88 7886
Ground	Manuka Oval, Manuka
Teams	PSL seniors and reserves in ACT First Division
Reserve coach:	Vic Fernandez
Reserve ground:	Narrabundah Oval
Colors	Yellow with blue trim.
Sponsored by	Brian Pollock Motors

This week's match: V BRISBANE LIONS at Manuka Oval (Canberra) Saturday 3 pm.

FITZROY ALEXANDER

is sponsored by Goldair

President: Jim Mangopoulos 419 2077.
Secretary: Sam Karanikolopoulos, 41 3177.
Coach: John Magarites
Teams: PSL Seniors, Metro League Second Division team, juniors under 11 to under 17.
PSL ground: Olympic Park Sundays and Middle Park Saturdays.
Second Division ground: Fitzroy Cricket Ground.
Second Div coach: C. Giorgousis.
Colors: Black and gold.

This week's match: V SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS at Olympic Park Sunday 3 pm.

GIRLS INTERESTED IN ENTERING THE MISS ALEXANDER QUEST SHOULD RING ONE OF THE ABOVE NUMBERS.

FOOTSCRAY J.U.S.T.

P.O. Box 122, St Kilda South, 3182.

Sponsored by; Yugoslav Airlines (JAT)
President; Tony Kovac, 94 1942
Manager-coach; Cedo Cirkovic
Secretary; Harry Iser, 37 Shoobra Rd., Elsternwick, Vic, Phone 391 3231.
Assistant Secretary; Lou Tonovski, 46 Molesworth St., Coburg Vic phone 350 2147.
Ground; Middle Park on Saturdays, Olympic Park on Sundays.
Second Division ground Schintler Reserve, Footscray.

This week's match: V HAKOAH EASTERN SUBURBS at Middle Park (Melbourne) Sunday 3 pm (TV match).

HAKOAH EASTERN SUBURBS

61 HALL ST., BONDI

Team manager	D. MacLaren
Secretary	Alan Rose. Phone 211 1028
Coach	Gérry Chaldi
Assistant	J. Lissing
Ground	Wentworth Park.
Sponsored by	V.I.P. Insurance.

This week's match: V FOOTSCRAY JUST at Middle Park (Melbourne) Sunday 3 pm (TV Match).

MARCONI

Sponsored by	Rosso Antico
Manager-coach:	Rale Rasic, Marconi club, 604 5222
Junior sec.:	Mick Daniel, 604 5222.
Ground	Marconi Oval, Marconi Rd., Bossley Park.
Teams	PSL seniors, two under 19s, under 12, under 13, under 14, under 15, under 16.

This week's match: V ADELAIDE CITY at Olympic Sports Field (Adelaide) Sunday 3 pm.

MOOROOLBARK UNITED

Secretary: Malcolm Jones.
Manager-coach: Brian Edgley. Phone No. Bus. 735 5773
Correspondence: P.O. Box 35, Mooroolbark 3138.
Teams: Philips Soccer League Seniors, Second Division Seniors, Second Division Reserves, 16 Junior Teams Under 7-16.
Philips Soccer League home ground: Middle Park for Saturday T.V. games. Wembley Park, Canterbury Road, Box Hill for Sunday fixtures.
Second Division Ground: Esther Park, Esther Crescent, Mooroolbark. Phone No: 726 0244
Junior Secretary: Bill Laven, Phone No. 728 2482.

This week's match: V SYDNEY OLYMPIC at Wentworth Park (Sydney) Sunday 3 pm.

MISS S. M. HELLAS, QUEST CONTESTANT 1977
Name: Helen Laftsis. Age: 17. Place of birth: (Larisa) Greece. Occupation: School student. Form 4 at Malvern High School. Other interests: Swimming, tennis, dancing, music. Sponsor: Mr Leo Anezakis by Lanez Engineering Pty. Ltd. For further enquiries ring Miss Melba Tsenekidou. Tel. No. 88 4594. Judging will take place December 3rd at Melbourne Town House

SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS

Secretary	Nick Sagiakos Phone 53 6196 A.H. (Day 211 1247)
Coach	Manny Poulakakis
Teams	PSL Seniors and Reserves in 2nd Division.
Second Div. coach:	C. Xanthopoulos, T. Mantarakis.
Colours	Blue, White.
Junior Teams	Under 11 to Under 17.
Ground:	Middle Park.

This week's match: V FITZROY ALEXANDER at Olympic Park Sunday 3 pm.

ST. GEORGE B.S.C.

Club: 84 Victoria Ave., Mortdale

Soccer president Alex Pongrass, 666 9229
Secretary: Les Bordacs, 269 2756
Coach: Manfred Schaefer, 579 6977
Ground: Sydney Sports Ground
Colors: white, red and green.

This week's match: V BRISBANE CITY at Perry Park (Brisbane) Sunday 3 pm.

SYDNEY OLYMPIC S.F.C.

President	M. Kontos. Phone 51 9444 ext. 8261.
General manager:	John Thompson, 982 1728
Secretary	N. Smilos Phone 88 1337
Coach	Kaz Kulak
Ground	Wentworth Park
Colours	Blue and White
Teams	PSL and 2 reserve teams
Reserves coach:	A. Antoniadis
Sponsored by	Olympic Airway and City Ford.

This week's match: V MOOROOLBARK UNITED at Wentworth Park (Sydney) Sunday 3 pm.

WEST ADELAIDE HELLAS

Correspondence to:	Box 1130 GPO Adelaide, 5001
President	Dr Arthur Zalkos
Coach	Billy Birch
Asst. Coach:	Mike Wells.
Team manager:	Jim Carapetis.
Reserves coach:	Kyp Stathi.
Home ground	Hindmarsh Stadium, Hindmarsh.
Senior secretary:	E. Koutelas, 51 4307
Junior secretary:	M. Papazoglou, 43 7736

This week's match: V WESTERN SUBURBS at Englefield Stadium (Sydney) Sunday 3 pm.

And there's another dance on June 25 at Olympic Hall, Franklin Street, Adelaide.

WESTERN SUBURBS SOCCER CLUB

Clubrooms: 4 William St., Five Dock N.S.W. Phone 713 8672
President: — G. G. Liddell Phone 73 3541
Sec/Mgr: — G. Stratford 713 6539
Mgr/Coach: — M. Laing 713 8672
P.S.L. Ground: — Engelfield Stadium, Dural.
Colours: — Black & White
Teams: — P.S.L. & 2 Reserve Teams — U/11 to U/16 Jnrs.
Jnr. Sec: — L. Grimes Phone 713 2660
Supporters
Club Sec: — Miss G. Evans Phone 76 7151

This week's match: V WEST ADELAIDE HELLAS at Englefield Stadium (Sydney) Sunday 3 pm.

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